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Railroads Will be Affected; Under-
current of Expectancy in Chihuahua
May Cut Off Villa's Retreat.**

By Associated Press.
EL PASO, Tex., April 7.—Two American soldiers, the first to arrive from the front for several days, reached El Paso today on a train from Chihuahua city. They said that there was absolute quiet in the state capital when they left, but that everywhere there was apparent a curious feeling of expectancy that important developments were imminent.

As has been the case for a week, the whole Mexican situation seemed at a standstill pending the outcome of the negotiations between Washington and General Carranza regarding the use of the Mexican railroads by the American expeditionary force.

Repeated intimations that the supply situation had reached an acute stage have received strong support by the statement made by soldiers returning from the front.

The question of adequate clothing for the American soldiers appears to be an urgent one. Stories from the front of the expeditionary force adopted by the troops to repair worn out garments, especially shoes, give sharp point to this problem.

In the absence of any definite news from General Pershing the border has again been reduced to mere speculation as to the whereabouts of Villa and the status of the pursuit. What is regarded as the most hopeful sign is that no news has come from General Pershing's headquarters since he reached that town by this time it is urged that there is still a chance of the American troops cutting in between him and the south.

It is also argued that the absence of any news of his movements tends to still the speculation that he has advanced and hiding in the hills.

AMERICANS AT SATEVO.
EL PASO, Tex., April 7.—Advance elements of the American expeditionary force are operating today near Satevo and news that Colonel Dodge's cavalry has again come in contact with a Villa force is expected. The region between Satevo and Pinar where Villa is reported to be heading is intersected with several bands of Villa brigades.

American refugees from the Benito Juarez district say that if Villa should succeed in unifying these bands, he would have a powerful force. Men and women would be in a position to give the advanced American troops a hard battle before reinforcements arrive.

The latest official information from the front shows that the American cavalry had penetrated south of San Antonio, Chihuahua, and was still moving southward on the trail of the bandit. It is believed that more front reports will now be obtained from Colonel Dodge's headquarters as it is now possible for him to relay his messages by courier to Chihuahua city and thence by telegraph lines to El Paso for retransmission to General Funston at San Antonio.

CARRANZISTAS CONCENTRATE.
SAN ANTONIO, April 7.—Carranzista troops were reported today by American Consul Fletcher to be concentrating in the vicinity of Chihuahua city. The reason for such concentration was unexplained but officers at Major General Funston's headquarters assume that it was part of the de facto government's plan of co-operation in the pursuit of Villa according to reports in circulation south beyond Chihuahua. The exact position of the American forces was still unknown here early today. A report from General Pershing had reached Columbus but its unexplained condition made it necessary to repeat it. General Funston and his staff awaited it with much concern. Colonel Brown's brief report forwarded through the American consulate at Chihuahua served to strengthen the assumption here that the Americans advanced forces already had reached Satevo. Colonel Brown reported from Cuatrecasas, 50 miles from Satevo, April 4.

BROWN'S SUPPLIES SHORT.
WASHINGTON, April 7.—American Consul Fletcher at Chihuahua in a dispatch received at the War Department today told of the clashes between American troops and Villa forces at Amolesque on April 1 and the light between the bandit and Carranzista troops near Cuatrecasas three days later.

Fletcher reported a persistent rumor in Chihuahua that Villa had been wounded. The rumor, he said, was based on the fact that the bandit's men were reported as living on beef and corn with supplies almost exhausted. A military campaign, Fletcher said, had relieved the shortage by sending a special train with supplies and forage.

At the light of General Carranza's capture of two hundred men on the 4th, Fletcher reported the Carranza troops as co-operating with General

**Pretty Girls Will Sell Flags
To Aid Destitute Belgians**

The women of the Daughters of the American Revolution, who received 4,000 flags to be sold for the benefit of the Belgian Relief fund, are meeting with great success in their work. Up until now quite a number of the flags had been disposed of and the women feel assured that by Monday they will have quite a nice sum to turn over. While the small amount of seven cents, the price of a day's ration for a Belgian, is asked for a flag, quite a number of persons have contributed more generously.

Tomorrow will be Belgium Flag Day and a number of girls with flags for sale, will be stationed at different points of the city. The hearty co-operation of all is asked by the women in charge.

Persons selling flags are expected to turn in their money and flags not dis-

posed of on Monday afternoon by 4 o'clock to Mrs. William Dull at the Arlington Hotel.

In the different churches Sunday, prayers will be offered by the pastors and a collection will be taken for the suffering Belgians.

Given Birthday Party.
In honor of her 63rd birthday Mrs. William Rogers was tendered a well arranged surprise party last night at her home at Scottdale. About 25 guests attended and spent a very enjoyable evening at various amusements. Refreshments were served.

Among the out of town guests were Misses Anna Kate, Dulce and Ora Trump, Mrs. W. F. Richter and daughter, Miss Ruth, of Connelville. Mrs. Rogers formerly resided in Connelville.

**GERMANS EXECUTE BELGIAN
WOMAN ARRESTED AS SPY**

**One Other Condemned to Life, Im-
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PRIVATE EXCHANGE OPENS

Both Bell and Tri-State Boards Installed in Courthouse.

Special to The Courier.
UNIONTOWN, April 7.—The private telephone exchange in the courthouse, which was installed last Saturday, is now being operated smoothly. The exchange is in the third floor on the southeastern wing. Here are both Bell and Tri-State switchboards of the most up-to-date types. The county recorder, Mr. J. H. Smith, is one of the best operators in the county, who have charge of the calls for all persons in the courthouse. The Tri-State board is operated by Miss Sarah Sease, of 214 North Seventh street.

Connelville, Miss Nell Smith, formerly in the local Bell office, is in charge of the Bell switchboard.

Since the installation of the switchboards, when calling for persons in the courthouse, subscribers on either phone simply ask for "1800." The courthouse operator answers and secures the person desired without delay.

WANTS TOWN CLOCK

Citizen Says it Should Have a Place on New High School.

Since plans for the proposed new high school building, which would cost \$250,000, have been made public there has been considerable favorable comment, but one well known citizen insists that one good feature has been entirely overlooked. That is a town clock.

"If we are to have an up-to-date school plant, and I am in favor of it as the school board proposes," said this man, "arrangements should be made for a reliable town clock which would strike the hours and half hours."

"A clock of this sort would be an ornament to the building and it could be seen from a great distance in almost every direction. Connelville people have nothing in the way of a striking clock to set them right as to the time. It is not always possible to consult the reliable clocks in the jewelers' windows."

It is possible that this matter may be taken up with the school board, since the bond issue passes next Tuesday.

DIRIGIBLE IS RUNAWAY.

Big Military Balloon Tears Away from Its Moorings.

By Associated Press.
MOBILE, Ala., April 7.—A telephone message from Pensacola, Fla., early today said that a military dirigible aloft broke from its moorings at the naval station there this morning and is being driven westward by a high wind.

Plans are being made to pursue and capture the runaway airship with aeroplanes. The dirigible, the largest ever sent to the Gulf coast, was to have been used for military observation purposes. It is said to be worth between \$50,000 and \$60,000.

MOONSHINER SLAIN.

Harlan County Character Killed in Fight With Revenue Men.

By Associated Press.
LEXINGTON, Ky., April 7.—Word reached here today that following a battle between revenue officers and moonshiners at Frank's Creek, in Harlan county, a man, who was considered by the officers to be the most notorious moonshiner in the state, was killed.

The report stated that while more than 50 men were fired none of the government men were hit.

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GERMANS TAKE TRENCH.

PALESTINE, April 7.—German forces have penetrated a French trench of the first line between Bethleem and Chateaufort, according to announcement made today by the French war office. This locality is in the Verdun region west of the Meuse.

A French counter attack at once drove them back from a large portion of the position thus seized.

COFFEE IS SCARCE.

BERLIN, via London, April 7.—The government today expropriated coffee, tea and cinchona and appointed a commission to regulate their distribution. The regulation applies to persons having in their possession 10 lb. of German (about 22 pounds) of unroasted coffee or 5 kilograms of tea.

It is announced there is a visible supply of coffee sufficient for about six weeks; that the army needs are having to be met; and that there is enough tea for about a year.

GERMANS ADOPT HURDLE.

BERLIN, April 7.—The German Reichstag today adopted the committee's recommendation that the imperial chancellor and the foreign office.

GERMAN FLEET PRACTISES.

LONDON, April 7.—The heavy cruiser, the German fleet today practised maneuvers in the North Sea, which was given rise to rumors of a naval battle is explained by Reuters Copenhagen correspondent as having been due merely to German naval gunnery practice of unusual proportions.

Many ships have been out each evening firing at targets towed by fast motor launch. This target practice is always done after dark with the aid of searchlights.

INCREASE EFFECTIVE HERE.

Baltimore & Ohio Clerks Get Slight Boost in Salaries.

The increase in wages for salaried employees of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, announcement of which was made in The Courier yesterday, will effect quite a number on the Connelville division. In some cases it will be only a dollar or so a month; in other instances it will be a great deal more. All employees of the office who receive a straight salary will be affected.

The idea is to standardize wages all over the system. A clerk doing a certain kind of work in the Connelville office will receive the same salary per month as an employee holding a similar position at other division headquarters.

The increase went into effect April 1 and the pay checks received the latter part of this month will show the amounts.

The smallest increase known of was in one salary, which was raised just 30 cents a month.

NATURALIZATION COURT.

Sixty-Three Aliens Seek to be Admitted as Citizens.

Special to The Courier.
UNIONTOWN, April 7.—Sixty-three aliens appeared today before United States Naturalization Examiner J. A. S. Sutter of the Federal Department of Labor and were examined on their applications for citizenship to the United States.

This afternoon the applicants for naturalization papers will be given hearings before Judge H. R. Reppert and those admitted to citizenship will be given the oath of allegiance to the United States.

Gets a School.
Miss Villette Michael of Greenwood, has been elected a teacher in the Vanderbilt schools to succeed Miss Nell Danley, who resigned to go to Ximara.

**BRUMBAUGH DROPS
FIGHT ON PENROSE
FOR STATE CONTROL****Senator Wins Complete Vic-
tory, With Harmony
Now Assured.****THE GOVERNOR IS OUT OF IT**

Will Not be Pennsylvania's Favorite Son for Presidential Nomination and May Not Even Go to the National Convention as Delegate.

Special to The Courier.
PHILADELPHIA, April 7.—Harmony will be accomplished, among the Republican organization leaders of the state, it will be a complete victory for Senator Brumbaugh.

Governor M. G. Brumbaugh, it is understood, will retire from the presidential contest and his associates in the anti-Penrose faction will accept the Penrose slate of delegates-at-large to the Republican National Convention and the Penrose candidates for the state offices and yield to Penrose another of the congressmen-at-large.

This means that Governor Brumbaugh will not be Pennsylvania's "favorite son." In fact, Pennsylvania will have no favorite son at the National Republican Convention. And Governor Brumbaugh, in all probability, will not go to the convention as a delegate.

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**LOCAL MAN IS KILLED WHEN
FREIGHT TRAIN IS WRECKED**

George Miller, a Baltimore & Ohio Brakeman Buried Beneath Wreckage of 11 Cars.

In a freight wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad at Whitcomb, west of Pittsburgh, about 5 o'clock this morning, George Miller of South Connelville, was killed. His body is said to be buried beneath tons of wreckage.

According to the meagre details of the accident received here, eleven cars were derailed on an embankment freight train on which Miller was a brakeman. Wildwood is a station on the Pittsburgh & Western division of the Baltimore & Ohio.

Miller is about 30 years old and boarded at the Atlas Hotel in South Connelville for several years. His run was between Connelville and New Castle and he was on his way back when the wreck occurred. No other trainmen were injured.

It is said that the body will be taken to McKeesport where Miller has a sister.

WHY COMPLAIN?

Half-Cut in England With Price Boost, Only Costs Thin Dime.

By Associated Press.
LONDON, April 7.—The Hair Dressers' Guild have announced that after April 1 next they will charge for shaving from four cents to five cents and advance the price of hair-cutting from eight cents to ten cents.

Scarcity of labor and the increased cost of material are given as the reason for the increased prices.

REGISTRATION DAY.

Chance for Voters to Enroll on April 20.

The city registrars will be at the polling places on April 20 to enroll voters not registered last fall or to change party preference of any elector who so desire. The hours are from 8 to 4 A. M. to 10 P. M. It will not be necessary for those who registered last year to do so again.

Elope to Cumberland.
Miss Clara A. Oetgenberg, 20 years old, and Sherman Sanfey, 21 years old, a well known couple of Scottsdale, eloped to Cumberland yesterday. The bridegroom is a millworker.

Weather Forecast

Increasing cloudiness tonight; probably followed by snow or rain in early morning and on Saturday. Is the most weather forecast for West Penna.

The Temperature.
Maximum 1916 1915
Maximum 28 28
Minimum 25 25
Mean 26 26
This sun rises at 5:46 A. M. and sets at 6:24 P. M.
The moon rises at 10:46 P. M. and sets at 2:46 A. M. during the night.

**Sweethearts of Childhood,
Pair Wed in Autumn of Life**

Two well known "young people" from down the river were united in marriage in Scotland on Wednesday night when Mrs. Lucy Tard Stant of Smithton, aged 61, became the bride of R. Z. Hixon, aged 68, of West Newton. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. E. Stough, pastor of the Lutheran Church, at the home of the bridegroom's brother, Noah Hixon on Market street.

Why back in their school days Mrs. Stahl and Mr. Stahl had been boy and girl sweethearts. The course of true love does run smooth, however, and they drifted apart. Each married and as the years rolled by Fate decreed that they should lose their life partners. As widow and widower, Mrs. Stahl and Mr. Hixon renewed their friendship, and it soon became a courtship. Thus in the autumn of life, the two were reunited as man and wife.

Recently Mr. Hixon purchased a home on Mythen street, Scotland, and all day Wednesday Mrs. Stahl was happily engaged arranging the furniture of her future home. In the evening they went to the home of the groom's brother, Noah Hixon, and were married. The ceremony was a quiet one, the only witnesses being Mr. and Mrs. Noah Hixon. Afterward the newlyweds went to their new home prepared to "live happy ever after."

Mrs. Stahl was the mother of several children, two of whom died recently. A son was struck by lightning last year, not long after his marriage.

**REPUBLICAN COMMITTEE
NAMES HARDING CHAIRMAN**

Ohio Senator Unanimously Elected Head of National Convention; By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, April 7.—Senator Warren Harding of Ohio was elected temporary chairman of the Republican national convention by unanimous vote of the sub-committee on arrangements of the Republican national committee today on the first ballot.

Charles D. Miles of New York, chairman of the subcommittee, was confident of success for the Republican party next fall.

Recent announcement of Colonel Roosevelt concerning the national convention was "no surprise," he said. The announcement, chairman Miles said, would have no effect on the selection of a temporary chairman.

"It is a significant fact," he said, "that the majority of the states unrepresented delegates are being selected and that the present national committee are being endorsed for reelection. This condition bears out the prophecy that the convention will meet with an open mind and will be prepared to name the best man for the place."

Others of the committee declared that many of the old leaders of the party had been shown delegates to the convention and that others had been returned to their places on the national committee indicating that a united party was preparing for the campaign.

After the selection of the convention, the committee will consider its session to dispose of minor questions.

FEAR ROBBERS ESCAPED

Search Being Made for Pair Who Raided Washington County Bank.

By Associated Press.
CANNONSBURG, April 7.—Washington and Allegheny county sheriffs are looking for a pair of robbers who continued the hunt for the two robbers who yesterday stole \$15,000 from the First National Bank of Houston, near here, and escaped in an automobile.

Persons in the vicinity of the bank when the robbery occurred were convinced that the men had confederates in the person of a woman and another man who was being stolen.

The country near Houston is being carefully searched by posse and all roads are being watched, but the impression prevails that the members of the gang had made their way to Pittsburgh.

THREE NEW BABIES

Stork Brings Two Boys and a Girl to Local Homes.

The stork visiting three Connelville homes during the week and left two girls and a boy. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Miner are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a daughter, Virginia Brooks. Miss Miner was formerly Miss Adelaide Brooks of Norwalk, Conn. Mr. Miner is principal of the South Side schools.

A son, Joe Russell Sturgeon, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Sturgeon at the home of Mrs. Sturgeon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Hood in Tablersville.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Menzel of South Connelville are the proud parents of a daughter born Tuesday. The little stranger tipped the scales to eight and one-half pounds.

SOME BIG BLASTS.

Dynamite Tearing Away the Hill South of the City.

Sounds of blasting heard here recently emanate from the stone quarry on the mountain along the Western Maryland railroad, south of the city. The dynamite charges are tearing big holes in the mountain. Yesterday afternoon as many as 12 shots were fired in the quarry. Scarcely a day passed without a shot being fired. It was possible to see light and smoke hurled high in the air. At that distance the effects of the explosions were visible at least 15 seconds before the sounds were heard.

Will Buy Goods.

F. W. Wright left last night for New York to buy millinery, ladies' and misses' suits for the Wright-Metzler Company store.

**TRYST BENEATH AN
OLD APPLE TREE IS
BASIS FOR LAWSUIT****Somerset Spouse Seeks \$10,-
000 From Man Who
Stole Wife's Love.****LATE COMER HAD AUTOMOBILE**

According to Hubby's Testimony, Life as Merchant's Wife Had No Charm for Pretty Divorcee After Garage Man Started Coming Around

Special to The Courier.
SOMERSET, April 7.—A shepherd dog, a grass plot on a secluded town lot, and an automobile garage played an important part in the trial of a \$10,000-alienation of affection suit tried in the court of common pleas here today before Judge Thomas F. Bailey of Huntingdon county, specially presiding.

The damage suit is one of the squels woven around the romance of Thomas J. Wagner, a well known West Salisbury merchant, and a coy little divorcee whose maiden name was Estella Morrow, which had its inception shortly after the young woman secured a legal separation from her first husband. So captivated were her charms that Wagner almost immediately claimed her as all his own, and their early marriage followed.

"They lived happily afterwards," according to Wagner's testimony today, until the lure of motoring in the big car of a local garage man, began to become an obsession with the queen of the Wagner household, and it is alleged that the affections of the bride were thus transferred.

Wagner was an unusual witness. There was nothing said in connection with his testimony. It seemed to the audience spellbound, as he narrated calmly but forcibly the mental torture he had suffered on account of an alleged unfaithful wife.

Time after time, he said, his suspicions as to his wife's conduct were aroused, but as quickly allayed by her convincing explanations.

"The smell of cigarette smoke in his wife's room," he testified, "was a constant reminder to me of her infidelity. I remember 3, 1912, when she was not in the house when he returned from the store, Wagner said, convinced him that there was something wrong. He emerged from the house, he declared, to find their shepherd dog restlessly pacing around the front yard. The dog led him, the witness alleged, to the rear of the lot on which their domestic stood. Coming to the fence, dividing the Wagner lot from the one adjoining, the witness said, he saw Knecht and his wife under an apple tree at the edge of a potato patch, near a stream of water.

"The night was dark," the witness testified, "but not black dark, and I could see the woman was my wife and the man was John Knecht. I recognized Knecht partly by his bald head."

Wagner told of impulsively drawing a revolver and shooting twice at Knecht. Both shots went wild. His wife grasped him by the arm and offered another "explanation," witness said.

"It was too late," he went on, "I had seen." Knecht grabbed for the son, it was testified, and succeeded in keeping the muzzle of the weapon pointed away from him.

FINDS WILL IN DREAM

Postmaster's Widow Uncovers Document Executed 10 Years Ago.

The will of William Ware, postmaster and well known merchant at Williams, Somerset county, was discovered by his wife recently through the medium of a dream after said will had been made for it among his possessions.

When no will was discovered, preparations were made to appoint an administrator and appraise the estate. It was the belief that Mr. Ware died intestate. About this time Mrs. Ware dreamed that she saw the document in a house at Hyndman.

Convinced that she would find the will she went there and discovered it in the exact spot she had seen in the dream. The will was made 10 years ago, leaving the entire estate to his wife. Even the witnesses, who signed it had forgotten its existence.

FUNERAL POSTPONED.

Body of Frank Passavant Fails to Arrive Until Last Night.

Owing to the non-arrival of the body of Frank Passavant, who was killed in Mexico, the funeral was postponed until this afternoon. Services were held from the home of the parents of the deceased, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Passavant at Lincoln Place near Homestead. Rev. E. B. Burgess, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran Church of this city, officiated.

Among the out of town persons attending were Mrs. C. M. Stoner, Miss Lennie Werner and Percy Sheets of Connelville.

Returns to Work.
Thomas J. Jeffries of Dunbar, who was injured while at work at Mount Braddock a few weeks ago, has sufficiently recovered to return to his work. Mr. Jeffries is night pumper at the W. J. Rainey works at Mount Braddock.

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 Boys' Coats of all-wool navy serge with belt and pockets—black velvet collar—embellish on sleeve—ages 2 to 6. Special at.....\$4.50

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 In black and white checks, navy and white checks and fancy mixtures—the very newest styles—wide skirt and high waist, finished with belt and fancy buttons. Special at.....\$5.00

GIRLS' COATS, 2 TO 6 YRS., \$2.00.
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FRIDAY EVENING, APRIL 7, 1916.

THE BOND ISSUE JOINED.

Connellsville citizens will vote next Tuesday on a proposition of the School Board to issue \$250,000 of bonds for the purpose of erecting new school buildings which the directors unanimously aver are absolutely necessary to the proper conduct of our city schools or modern educational lines.

The principal improvement proposed is the demolition of the old Fourth Ward school building and the erection on its site of a modern ward school building large enough to provide for the vocational schools now occupying temporary quarters in the basement of the Carnegie Free Library building, and will include a swimming pool where the children will be taught how to swim. The school directors in a series of well written articles published in the local papers for the enlightenment of the voters have shown the desirability if not the necessity of the proposed improvements, and have demonstrated how readily they may be financed without seriously increasing school taxes.

In the meantime comes a state building inspector, at whose instance does not appear, and after an examination of the Fourth Ward building makes a report condemning it utterly and unqualifiedly, declaring it to be an unsafe building and a deadly menace to school children, and recommending that it be used no longer for school purposes. The report of this inspector declares the building to be a fire-trap which is likely to collapse at any time carrying its occupants to injury and death.

On the other hand, we have a communication from one who does not hesitate to claim the honor of being the architect and builder of the Fourth Ward school house taking issue with the building inspector, saying that the structure is substantial, he admits that it is not fire-proof, but declares that it can be made both safe and modern, and he outlines briefly how that may be done at a cost of \$20,000. He protests against the wastefulness of demolishing a substantial building capable of being so perfectly made over at a cost so relatively cheap.

The Courier cheerfully presents the arguments of the builder of the Fourth Ward building feeling that they represent all that can be intelligently said against the proposed \$250,000 bond issue. While his is the testimony of a confessedly prejudiced witness, he is a very frank witness, a very reputable citizen and in his early career he was accounted a good architect. It may be said in criticism of him that his building and his architecture are out of date, but his soundness and sincerity as a citizen will not be questioned, and his opinions on both building and finance deserve consideration.

With due respect, therefore, to his plan for remodeling the Fourth Ward building and making it safe, we cannot escape the haunting suspicion that we will still have on our hands an ancient bit of architectural patchwork almost devoid of modern conveniences which will possibly have to be patched and patched again, so that after all it becomes a question for the voters to determine whether it is not real economy to take the old building and erect a modern structure on its site. Parents of little children who would attend school in the building in case of its repair would have to be well assured that \$20,000 had made it safe, and on this point it is natural that most of them should demand the testimony of somebody else beside the original designer and builder. It is not forgotten that this building has been badly removed from its original foundation to another 100 feet more or less away, and that it has been frequently patched, propped and hog-chained.

These facts will incline the public, and especially the parent, to resolve the doubts in favor of the report of the state building inspector and against the safety of the Fourth Ward school building; against the plea of its builder and in favor of the \$250,000 bond issue.

A literary test may keep out some unfortunate who know too little, but how about the underlings who know too much?

MAIL ORDER BUYING.

Two tons of mail order catalogues have been distributed through the Connelville postoffice this week. This is the sole method by which this mercantile interest advances. It is estimated that one out of every three families in the country receives a mail order catalogue.

The financial statement of one of the big mail order houses of Chicago shows that during the month of March it sold over \$12,000,000 worth of merchandise, an increase of \$1,814,000 over the sales of March a year ago. On a profit of 17% on gross sales the business of March shows a net income for the month of over \$120,000. There are few stores in Connelville whose gross sales reach that sum in twelve months.

There is absolutely no valid reason why the mail order business should be made to wax rich and prosperous at the expense of the home merchants. The mail order establishments do not carry a single article of necessity or luxury which cannot be bought in Connelville at prices which are no higher and in most cases really lower, than are paid to the out of town customer. Every dollar sent to them depicts the circulation of money and lessens the volume of business of every establishment in the community. Money spent at home helps everybody joining in the transaction. It gives employment to people, pays taxes, adds to the material wealth, promotes the general welfare of the whole community. Money sent to Chicago benefits no one except the distant receiver of it, while it does harm to any community or people other than to draw so many dollars from it and then as possible.

Try buying at home, where it will do you and your neighbor the most good.

The rejuvenation of Ohio river traffic has been complete. The new type of packet is modern from her steel hull to her wheel equipment, while her crude oil combustion and mechanical handling devices, why there is room for competition with railroads which cannot furnish care for their traffic or move it regularly when loaded. The city of Ohio didn't empty into the Atlantic. There never would have been an Eastern embargo.

People who have no respect for a funeral cortege in Connelville will be taught the lesson at their own cost.

The swimming pool provided in the proposed new Fourth Ward school building will appeal to parents of children anxious to have them taught how to swim before they drown in the river or somewhere else. It is a lamentable fact, brought out in boat accidents, that comparatively few women know how to swim. The time to teach a woman how to swim is when she is a small girl. Most men learn when they are small boys. The swimming pool will be an investment in preparedness which will never be regretted.

It looks as if the arguments in the school bond election were about all in. It is now up to the voter.

Villa has lost himself in the wilds of Northern Mexico and Dinu has started a fresh revolution in Southern Mexico. Commander Funston says he needs more men. He does. He will need that new army Congress is preparing.

The Eastern embargo is reported to be lifting. The clouds are rolling by.

The Connelville News seems to doubt the existence of harmony in the ranks of the Republican party. If it will wait the course of events carefully it will discover that the Republican party of Pennsylvania was never more harmonious than it is right now. Some of the boys have been playing an ancient and antique tradition warheads which the Democratic organs mistook for Republican strife.

The tabernacle didn't have a chance.

The French claim German weakness at Verdun, but it looks like a draw, upon which the Allies may congratulate themselves.

The disastrous experience of a Loris-soning lad with dynamite suggests the thought that in the interest of safety first high explosives ought to be kept carefully guarded.

Engineer Nash railroaded himself to jail.

Villa is reported almost everywhere in northern Mexico except within 100 miles of American Springfields.

The open season for depositing claims with the Thompson Creditors' Committee will last only a short time. After the bars are up they will not be let down for doubting or putting ladders.

There are to be several revivals of the revival.

The pictures of the new school building are calculated to make the children all wildly enthusiastic for it, and what mother and the children want appears very much to father.

Preparedness is under way at Washington.

The Connelville churches are preparing to sow the ground ploughed up by Bob Jones.

With 95% of the claims filed the success of the Thompson rehabilitation plan seems assured.

Connellsville has become firmly established as a power center when it is able to offer electrical power cheaper than Niagara Falls. This fact ought to insure the industrial future of this city. It is up to the enterprise of its people to do the rest.

The revival of the real estate market in Connelville is the last and best evidence of a complete return of prosperity. This market seems to be located at the end of Commercial Lane. Good times always reach it last.

Will Soon Leave Hospital.

Mrs. J. McFarlane of Scarlight, who underwent an operation at Presbyterian Hospital, Pittsburgh, will leave the hospital Sunday.

Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars

Why?

ARTICLE XII.

BECAUSE—Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars is the amount of money that will be needed to provide adequate facilities in all sections of the city for the next few years.

BECAUSE—The approval of this amount by the people will enable the School Board to plan an educational program for years to come.

BECAUSE—The growth of the city, the demands of the people, and the laws of the State have created a \$250,000 problem.

BECAUSE—The whole plan of education throughout the country is changing and Connelville in justice to her children must provide this amount to meet the competition of the school systems of other cities.

BECAUSE—This amount of money will provide adequate room for all sections of the city.

BECAUSE—The condemnation of the old Fourth Ward building makes a situation that must be met.

BECAUSE—The School Board does not believe that the people want this sum of money raised out of direct taxes.

BECAUSE—The interests of the children of Connelville demand it.

The School Board is telling the people of Connelville the whole story of its proposed project at this time because it wants the people to vote on the bond issue with full knowledge of what is to be done with their money.

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FOURTH WARD SCHOOL BUILDING
SOUND BUT IT'S NOT FIRE PROOF

Declares Worth Kilpatrick Who Admits He Was the Builder; Protests Against Demolition as the Wasteful Destruction of a Perfectly Good Building Which Can be Repaired to Meet All the Requirements of the School Laws.

Worth Kilpatrick, president of the Second National Bank and a former president of the Chamber of Commerce, protests against the condemnation, closing and proposed razing of the Fourth Ward school building. In a communication to "The Courier," he says:

Upon returning to the city after a week's absence, I learn through your paper that the state inspectors have condemned the Fourth Ward school building and recommended that it be razed.

To be sure it is not fire-proof, neither is any other school building in the city. While it may stand in need of minor repairs I am confident it is in no way unsafe. I feel that I may speak with some authority in this matter because, in addition to a rather extensive experience, I built the Fourth Ward school building, and I am, therefore, conversant with the details of its construction.

In a large measure it is now a stronger and better structure than it could be built today when material of the same soundness is unavailable. Every room is surrounded on all four sides by brick walls thirteen inches thick, and the floors are supported throughout by heavy iron columns. For the last several years it has been the building in the city which has required the least amount of repair. The installation of two ventilation shafts this could be done throughout at an expenditure of about \$15,000, and it would be a thoroughly modern and acceptable school building. Moreover, any such remodeling could be readily completed between school terms.

To replace the building with a new structure would consume a year's time, with the consequent interruption of school for that period, at a cost of about \$100,000, and in the end we would have no additional facilities. In one year the interest and sinking fund to be provided under a necessary bond issue would amount to \$10,000. In two years these taxes would pay for the remodeling of the old building and no bonds need be issued or outstanding. Under the present plan the school would be razed and the site left vacant for the erection of any new building necessary to meet the growing needs of the community. I am opposed simply to the unnecessary demolition of old structures so long as we have future needs to consider.

When the third floor of the Fourth Ward school was used as a public hall and theatre it has contained 700 men and women on many occasions. If one hundred men could be seated in the building, it would be a fine place for a school. It is safe for 200 boys and girls, especially since that time there has been placed under the floor of each room an iron supporting column.

I have read the report of Walter J. Lloyd, special inspector, and while I disagree with him in some particulars, I am compelled to differ with him in regard to the safety of the building. He says it is dangerous as to the roof, and that the roof is unsafe. But no more now than in past years. All other public school buildings in the city (except new part of High School building and the new Parochial school) are equally dangerous as to the roof. He points out rubbish under the stairs, and says that the roof is unsafe. But no more now than in past years. All other public school buildings in the city (except new part of High School building and the new Parochial school) are equally dangerous as to the roof. He points out rubbish under the stairs, and says that the roof is unsafe. But no more now than in past years. All other public school buildings in the city (except new part of High School building and the new Parochial school) are equally dangerous as to the roof. 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At the Theatres

SONSON THEATRE.

"THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY."—The pitte actress, Lottie Pickford comes to the Sonson Theatre today in the two reel farce serial, "The Diamond from the Sky." It is the 20th episode and next to the last of this sensational picture. Billie Ritchie is the star today in the two reel serial "Scars and Stripes," a funny take-off of life in the Sing Sing Jail. Reformers looking for converts to their cause will find them by showing this film all over the country. "What these prison guards do to the convicts is a shame." "The Desperado" is a Lillian Gish drama with Robert Taylor in the lead. It is the story of a gambler who gave his life to save that of a little girl, who has been bitten by a rattler. The Animated Weekly has scenes in the Mexican end-chasing Villa, and other interesting events. Tomorrow, the World Film Corporation will present the queen of the screen, Clara Kimball Young, in the five reel sensational Broadway triumph, "The Yellow Passport," the grim symbolism of the western emblem of shame. Beginning with a terrific Jewish massacre by the "Black Hundred" at Kiev, Russia, this notable picture builds scenes upon scenes of intense and appalling drama reaching its great climax in the luxurious settings of a New York mansion. The story gets its title from the kind of passport issued by the Russian police to women of the town and it is through obtaining such a passport to protect herself against her enemies, that the heroine of the story is brought face to face with so many big situations.

GLOBE THEATRE.

"THE GOLDEN CHANCE."—Featuring Cleo Radeley and Wallace Reid, is being presented at the Globe. This is a marvelous attraction. Next to the dramatic effect of such abundance in this play is the element of suspense. A swift and well constructed introduction wakes our sympathy and interest in the leading characters and then rivets our attention upon the development of the plot. The director has chosen and chosen wisely, to depart from all conventional time-worn motions. The unexpected is happening at all times. The spectator is invited to guess at the next turn in the play and is delighted to discover that he has been wrong, for the solution is far more dramatic, far more subtle, and entertaining than he could have ever guessed himself. There is a new force in this play. The wonderful lightning effect scene of the inductor charm and justice to the numerous scenes. Miss Radeley carries off the principal scenes with consummate art. The climax of the plot is as a whole to be the strongest part of the play. "The Golden Chance" deserves to take its place among the very best of the lucky productions. Widely known to motion picture devotees throughout the country, Cleo Radeley and Wallace Reid, are exceptional artists and are seen to their best advantage in "The Golden Chance." Tomorrow "The White Alley," a powerful drama, will be presented. Monday Barbara Tennant will be seen in "The Price of Malice."

OHIOVILLE.

OHIOVILLE, April 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martindale spent Thursday calling on Connellsville friends and shopping. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Hamilton Thursday evening at their home on Garrett street. The family now consists of two girls and two boys. Mrs. John Totten of Connellsville is spending a short visit with friends here. Mr. and Mrs. Grant Smith and baby of Rowland spent Thursday shopping in town. Mrs. Minnie Shipley was shopping in town yesterday. Jackson Meyers returned yesterday from a business trip in Indian Creek. Miss Nora Totten of Kentucky was shopping in town yesterday. Walter Chuck of Uniontown spent a few hours here last evening. Clyde Robinson left yesterday for a business trip to Monaca. Dr. A. J. Colburn of Connellsville was a caller here yesterday. Miss Emma Linderman of Spica was a shopper here yesterday. Roger Walsh left last evening for his work in Connellsville after several days spent here. Mrs. Harry Hall and daughter of Whit Corner were shopping in town yesterday. William Brady was a business caller at Salsburg Thursday. David Little was in town yesterday.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, April 7.—John Irwin of Connellsville deputy revenue collector, was a business visitor to Meyersdale yesterday. Mrs. E. F. Hutter and two children of Rockwood are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Simon W. Hutter. James J. Doyle of Connellsville was transacting business here yesterday. Paul Gross, a former druggist of

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Business and professional men of large means who have taken expensive baths at famous resorts and have spent many lavishly to rid themselves of the tormenting agony of rheumatism have turned to Rheum and got well.

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Two bottles of Rheum will cost you a dollar of A. A. Clarke, or any druggist, and if the purchase does not bring you the freedom from pain and misery you expected, your money is waiting for you.—Adv.

Meyersdale, but now located in Johnstown, is spending a few days here looking after business interests.

Miss Phyllis Cartwright of Jenner has been visiting friends here for the past few days.

Dr. D. P. Kurts of Johnstown was a professional business visitor here yesterday and today.

Miss Florence Sayler of Ewell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Sayler.

Miss Lucille Morrell of Salsburg was calling on friends here yesterday. Frank B. Black returned yesterday from Philadelphia where he had been for several days on a business visit.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Neel and little daughter of Pittsburgh are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hocking. Rev. Neel was a former pastor of the Meyersdale Methodist Episcopal Church and his former parishioners and many friends are always glad to see him.

INDEPENDENT BASEBALL TEAM IS ORGANIZED FOR NEW YEAR

First Game Will Be Played Next Sunday; Other Teams to Meet in Time.

The first baseball team to represent Connellsville in the coming season has been organized under the management of Ray King. Eleven players have been signed and more will also be given a tryout. The independents will get down to practice immediately and expect to be in the best of form for the opening game which will be played with the Hamilton & Ohio team on South Connellsville park on Saturday, April 22.

No other teams have yet been booked for the season although the team will take offers from all first class amateur and semi-pro teams.

Players who have already been secured for the season are Addis Sliger, Fisher, A. Friel, Snyder, I. Friel, Wilson, Sandusky, Jeffries, Wallon and Dugan. Many of these were in the lineup of the independent team last year and put up hard contests with many teams noted for their playing.

Manager King would like to hear from the following teams in regard to games for the season: Uniontown, Pottsville, Johnstown, Westmoreland, Cumberland, Somerset, Johnstown, Perryopolis, Star Junction, Scottdale, Iverson, Mount Pleasant, Lakewood, Greensburg and Masontown.

For game address: Ray King, 303 Water street, Connellsville, Pa.

The organization of the independents is only the beginning of baseball in the rock region, however. The Rock teams will soon be in full swing and the Baltimore & Ohio will have another strong aggregation in the field this year.

Although the high school players have not yet reported for practice they will probably turn out soon. There is plenty of good material in the high school for a baseball team. Several of the boys who play on the team when asked about the prospects for the coming season say they expect to get out soon, and are also trying to get former Dunbar town, high school teacher as coach.

ROAD MAY NOT QUIT.

Denial of Reports That P. W. & S. Has Abandoned Line.

Denial is made of the printed reports that the Pittsburgh, Westmoreland & Somerset railroad, between Somerset and Ligonier, is to discontinue its daily passenger service following an accident recently in which one man was killed, but it is to be resumed, officials say.

There is some talk of electrifying the line and transforming it into a trolley system.

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HOW TO BE SLIM

If you are too fat and want to reduce your weight 15 or 20 pounds, don't starve and weaken your system, or think you must always be laughed at on account of your fat but go to A. A. Clarke or any good druggist and get a box of Oil of Korelin capsules, take one after each meal and one before retiring at night.

Weigh yourself once a week and not what a pleasant and reliable method this is for removing superfluous fat from any part of the body.

It costs little, is absolutely harmless and a weeks trial should convince anyone that it is unnecessary to be burdened with even a single pound of unsightly fat.—Adv.

DAWSON.

DAWSON, April 7.—A. C. Mosser, butcher for the W. J. Ramey Company at Vanderbilt, is off duty owing to an attack of rheumatism.

Arthur Moore has moved his family into the house recently vacated by Joseph E. McGill on Bridge street.

Mrs. George McGibbony who has been visiting friends and relatives, has returned to her home in Glassport.

The funeral of Fred Moore was held this afternoon from the home on Grison street. Services and interment private.

Mrs. George Cochran and Mrs. William Kisevenger were Connellsville callers Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. H. J. Bell visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Reed at Laurel Hill Thursday.

Miss Mary Mong and Pearl Porter saw the Battle Cry of Peace at Connellsville Wednesday.

A Bible teaching and training school has been organized here among the different churches. The union prayer meetings are being held every Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Katie Johnson is home from a visit with friends at Brownsville.

Mrs. William H. Hughes who has been visiting relatives for the past week has returned to her home in Pittsburgh.

Ray Nicolay of Uniontown was a Dawson caller Thursday.

William Baldwin has moved his

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It is unnecessary for you to suffer with eczema, ringworm, rashes and similar skin troubles. A little Zemo, gotten at any drug store for 25c, or \$1.00 for extra large bottle, and promptly applied will usually give instant relief from itching torture. It cleanses and soothes the skin and heals quickly and effectively most skin diseases.

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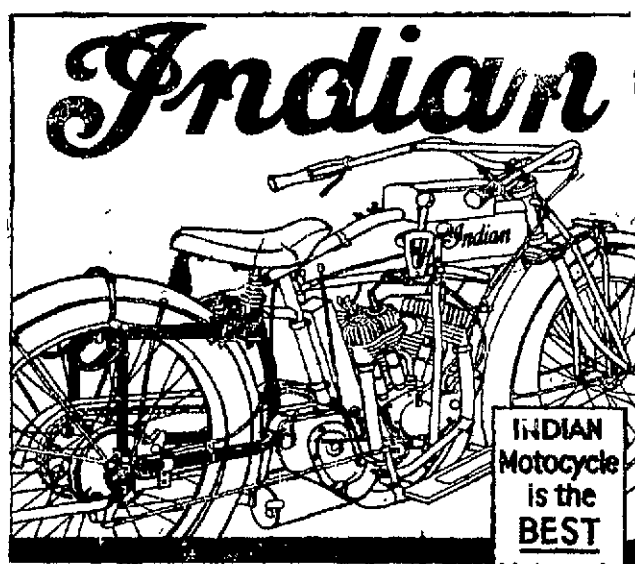
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tainly to the Charles Boyd farm near town.

Randall Russ of Lower Tyrone is looking after some business interests in Monaca this week.

Harry Cochran is busy this week getting signatures on his petition. He is a candidate for the legislature from this district.

BANK STATEMENTS.

RESOURCES	
Cash, specie and notes	\$ 44,101.05
Due from approved reserve agents	95,318.02
110,709.07	
Nickels and cents	256.71
Checks and cash items	1,091.18
Due from banks and trust companies, etc., not reserve	9,626.23
Securities pledged for bills payable	51,730.00
Bonds, stocks, etc.	19,108.12
Mortgages and judgments of record	217,117.55
Office building and lot	50,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	11,670.95
Furniture and fixtures	21,881.27
Overdrafts	2,135.02
Other assets not included in above	3,600.00
Total	\$1,212,055.01

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$200,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	15,070.13
Individual deposits subject to check (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	802,576.51
Time certificates of deposit (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	2,817.97
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	28,366.80
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	54,235.31
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	40,000.00
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	14,764.13
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	5,000.00
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	2,171.16
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	10,000.00
Total	\$1,212,055.01

AMOUNT OF TRUST FUNDS IN	
Amount of trust funds in	\$ 14,325.00
Cash balance	1,328.20
Overdrafts	268.78
Total Trust funds	\$ 15,921.00

CORPORATE TRUSTS

Total amount of trusts under deeds of trust or mortgages executed by corporations to secure issues of corporate bonds, including equipment trusts

State of Pennsylvania, County of Fayette, ss.

I, J. T. Norton, Treasurer of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of April, 1916.

Correct—Attest: J. T. NORTON, Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE TITLE & TRUST COMPANY OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA, of Connellsville, Pa., at the close of business, March 31, 1916.

RESOURCES	
Cash, specie and notes	\$ 2,271.70
Due from approved reserve agents	55,107.88
88,359.58	
Nickels and cents	32.17
Checks and cash items	1,519.11
Due from banks and trust companies, etc., not reserve	21,971.12
Securities pledged for bills payable	50,000.00
Bonds, stocks, etc.	25,010.51
75,010.51	
Commercial paper purchased upon call name	9,001.02
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291,027.53	
Time loans with collateral	167,582.15
Bonds, stocks, etc.	21,375.00
Mortgages and judgments of record	130,004.11
Office building and lot	141,113.07
Other real estate	9,361.77
Furniture and fixtures	9,361.07
Overdrafts	188.70
Total	\$908,746.07

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$250,000.00
Surplus fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	101.08
Individual deposits subject to check (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	122,610.50
Time certificates of deposit (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	1,173.75
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	26,640.00
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	100,008.00
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	80,178.44
Deposits, savings fund (Exclusive of trust funds and savings)	895.50
Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding	875.85
Bills payable on demand	40,000.00
Bills payable on time	24,500.00
Total	\$908,746.07

AMOUNT OF TRUST FUNDS IN	
Amount of trust funds in	\$ 89,821.69
vested	1,466.50
Cash balance	
Total trust funds	\$ 91,288.19

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1 Lot of Ladies' Shepherd Plaid Skirts, latest Spring models. Special, 89c.

Ladies' Satin Petticoats, Regular value \$1.00, for 43c.

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1 Lot Kitchenettes (Aprons)—Lancaster gingham, guaranteed fast colors—all colors: regular value 75c. Special 39c.

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Kimono—Special sale on Kimono in empire and loose effects. 1 Lot in crepe, all colors and sizes; regular value \$1.50 to \$2. Special 89c.

1 Lot in silk saten and cretons, all colors and sizes; regular value \$3.00. Special \$1.98.

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Ladies' Shoes—Ladies' high grade Shoes. Special for our pre-Easter Sale.

Ladies' Washable Kid Shoes in pearl, grey, champagne and white, newest fad for Easter wear; regular \$7.00 values for \$4.35.

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Together With a Business League
and High School Students are In-
terested; Other News of Interest.

Special to The Courier.

SCOTSDALE, April 7.—Scottdale yesterday enjoyed one of the best days in the history of the town. It began in the early morning when Dr. William Beoteker arrived and was escorted around town by business and professional men in 20 cars. The trip was thoroughly enjoyed, the only accident marring the parade being when the car of Thomas Hill stuck in the mud, but as this was a movement for a better Scottdale, every citizen was ready to lend a helping hand and soon Mr. Hill was able to proceed. The Y. M. C. A. and the library were visited.

Six of the business and professional men took luncheon at the Central Hotel with Dr. Beoteker and greatly enjoyed meeting him personally. At 1:30 two hundred women assembled in the Scottdale Theatre and listened to a talk that inspired every woman present with a desire for a better Scottdale. Steps were taken to organize a Civic Club. The committee in charge is Mrs. D. E. Heas, Mrs. J. H. Poole and Mrs. G. F. Kelly.

After this meeting was ended Dr. Beoteker went to the high school, where he conducted a very interesting meeting. Prizes to the value of \$25 were offered the students as follows: \$10 for the best essay, \$5 for the second best essay, \$3 for the third, \$2 for the fourth, and one dollar prize for the best review of Dr. Beoteker's lecture at the high school, the superintendent and faculty to be the judges.

At six o'clock the business men and professional men numbering 35 gathered at the Central Hotel and had dinner, and this was followed by plans to organize a men's business organization to make a better and greater Scottdale. J. M. Summers was made chairman of the committee and will appoint committees to proceed with the organization.

In the evening the house was well filled to hear Dr. Beoteker's excellent address. There was a representative audience. The speaker was introduced by Rev. F. E. Funk, pastor of the United Brethren Church, who at the proper time presented him with a large key that he had made, giving him the key to the possibilities for a better and greater Scottdale.

SCHOOL GIRL ELOPES.
May Gallagher, a sophomore in high school, whose home is at New Stanton, surprised her friends when she left for school on Tuesday morning, but eloped with Ralph Elmer. They were married at Cumberland. The young couple have returned and will make their home at the Elmer residence.

REMODELING BUILDING.
John Pyle has been given the contract for the remodeling of the Brennan building where the Pabst fire was a few weeks ago.

ISAAC BUCH DIES.
Isaac Buch, aged 47 years, who lived in Kieferstown, died at his home on Wednesday night. He was employed at the furnace and died from pneumonia. He leaves a wife and nine children. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon and will be in charge of Rev. Miller, and interment will be made in the Pennsylvania Baptist cemetery.

COLLAGE-BONE BROKEN.
Harold Cove, the 12-year-old son of Robert Cove, the Pennsylvania freight agent, while playing yesterday was running and collided with another boy. Young Cove had his collar bone broken.

GOES TO WHEELING.
Edward Morgan, for so long time solicitor for the West Penn, has gone to Wheeling, W. Va., to be sales manager under J. S. Johnston, the former superintendent of the West Penn. Mr. Morgan of Connellsville will be solicitor for H. C. Fair, the present superintendent.

TAKES NEW PLACE.
Miss Ruth Logan, who has taken a position as telephone operator for the Pennsylvania railroad company at Youngwood.

AGED WOMAN STRICKEN.
Mrs. Harry Rike, aged 90 years, who lives in the Elmer & Cretz flats, was stricken with paralysis while going about her work. She is improving somewhat.

W. C. T. U. MEETING.
The executive committee of the W. C. T. U. of this district met at Scottdale last evening and arranged its institute at Alverton on April 18 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and 7:30 o'clock in the evening. In the afternoon Mrs. Harriet Brothers of Mount Pleasant will conduct the devotion, and Mrs. D. T. McCall will read a paper on "The Power of the Press." There will be a round table on "Our Greatest Need in the W. C. T. U." "New Members." Mrs. Elizabeth Ramsey; "Attendance," Mrs. C. A.

Colborn of Scottdale; "Department Work," Mrs. Laura Zindel of Mount Pleasant; "Young People's Work," Miss Edith Flesher of Alverton, Miss Nora Fox will conduct the question box. In the evening Rev. J. W. Hamilton will speak. The ladies will take their lunch alone.

FOR SALE.
Thirty-four acres, good spring water, five cent street car fare from Scottdale, for \$2,000.00. Can give immediate possession to quick buyer. Five room house, one acre land, \$900.00.

Six room house, 3 acres land for \$1,900.00.
Eight room modern house, fully equipped with electric shower, chandeliers, cement cellar, heater and bath, an ideal home, for \$2,500.00. E. F. DeWitt, Brennan Building—Adv.

ENTERTAINS GUILD.
Miss Anna Merrill entertained her fellow members of the Citizens Guild at her Grove street home last evening. There were 35 members present. Following the business meeting refreshments were served.

FOR SALE.
Run of mine coal, 3 cents a bushel. Tyrone Coal Co., Tip Top mine.—Adv.

NOTICE.
Eye Specialist, A. L. Tucker, Oph. D., Brennan Building, Scottdale. 9 to 12 A. M. Evenings by appointment.—Adv.

—Adv. Charles Kelly has returned home from a visit paid Pittsburg friends.

Mrs. M. J. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. George Dietl of Republic have returned to their homes after a visit paid Mr. and Mrs. James W. Widdow.

Mrs. S. C. Bosworth who has been visiting in Pittsburg since Tuesday has returned home.

Douglas Singing Orchestra went from here to Dougherty Hall, La. the last evening where they played at the dance given by some matrons of that town last evening following the W. & J. Glen Club performance at that place.

Arthur G. Trimble of Wilkinsburg is the guest of his mother, Mrs. W. P. Ong and daughter, Ada, of Mount Pleasant were guests of Mrs. Margaret Bisher.

Mrs. William Buzzard and daughter, Elizabeth, have returned to Republic after a visit paid friends here.

Miss Gertrude Evans is in Pittsburg visiting her sister.

Miss Margaret Maloney and Nora King returned home last evening from Pittsburg where they were the guests of Miss Margaret King who is a student at the Margaret Morrison school in Pittsburg.

Use of Bank Checks Increasing.
The Connellsville Water Company report that there is an apparent increase in the use of bank checks in payment of bills for water rent, judging from the number of checks received through the mail at the Water Company's office.

The Water Company always makes it a point to return to the consumer the receipted bill for each and every remittance received through the mail. This action is appreciated by the consumer, since it gives them a permanent record of just what they have paid and when the amount has been paid.—Adv.

CASE IS CLOSED.
Defense Claims Heretofore Property Was Not Damaged.

Special to The Courier.
UNIONTOWN, April 7.—The defense closed yesterday in the suit against the county for \$25,000 alleged to have been suffered by the Heretofore property at South Brownsville by the creation of the new county bridge.

There were 13 witnesses called and all but one testified that the building was worth as much now as before the bridge was built. One witness declared it was slightly damaged. A. M. Sargeant of South Brownsville testified that he would pay \$50,000 for the property at any time and said he had \$500 in his pocket as the first payment if his offer was accepted.

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You had better stop at once or you'll lose your job. Every line of business is closing its doors to "Drinking" men. It may be your turn next. By the aid of ORRINE thousands of men have been restored to lives of sobriety and industry. We are sure that ORRINE will benefit you that we say to you that if after a trial you fail to get any benefit from its use, your money will be refunded.

When you stop "Drinking," think of the money you'll save; besides, sober men are worth more to their employers and get higher wages.

Costs only \$1.00 a box. We have an interesting booklet about ORRINE that we are giving away free on request. Call at our store and talk it over.

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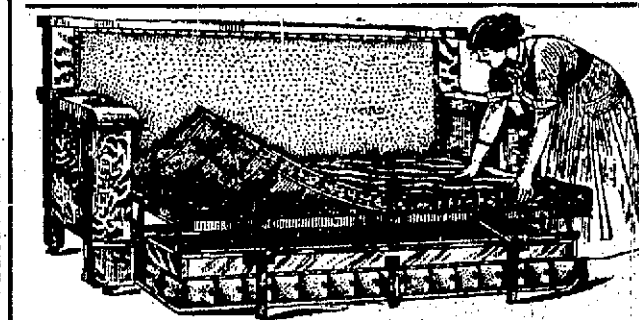
CONSOLIDATION SALE

We are going to keep it up! Even after this grand initial effort of these consolidated stores is recorded in Connellsville history as its grandest bargain event, or co-operative system will permit us to so far undersell the high price barons of the furniture business that you'll never hesitate to vote us—

Connellsville's Leadership and American Supremacy

The sooner you make this "YOUR" Furniture Store the sooner you'll learn to save—and don't forget—it's what you save, not what you earn, that counts.

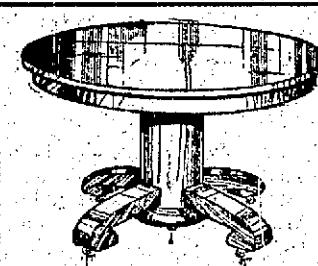
You can buy here to your heart's content without feeling the cost. These prices and our easy terms puts everything needed in the home—within-the-reach-of-all.



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Come Quick! We have just three of the greatest bargains you ever saw in Bed Davenports that we have marked down for rapid sale to only **\$23.75**

In spite of the tremendous selling of the first weeks of this Consolidation we have still a good selection of high quality Bed Davenports, some of which show a bonafide reduction of many dollars, bringing the price down to less than they cost wholesale.



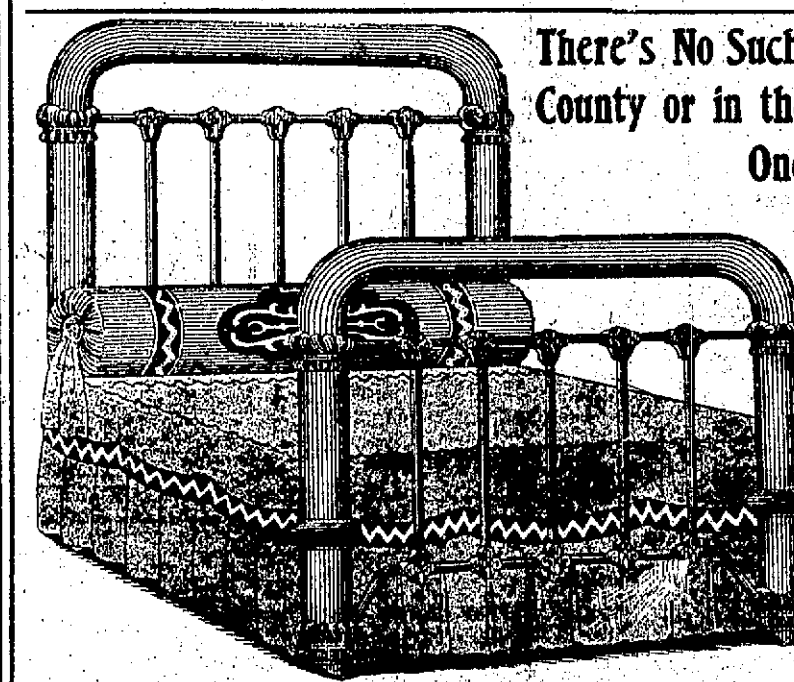
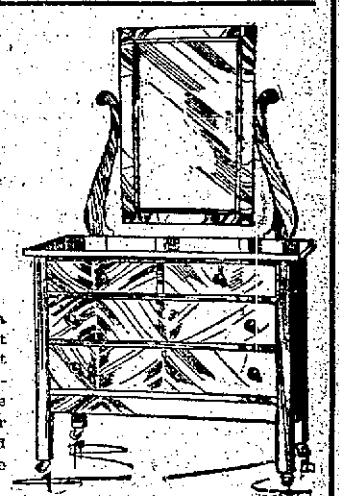
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As long as our combined stocks of these Beds last, we shall give an All-Steel-Spring, a Cotton-Top Mattress with this Massive Bed, for only **\$9.75**

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The massive continuous posts are two inches in diameter and you may have your choice of White Enamel or VERMILION MARTIN, that rich, satin brass finish which will not tarnish.



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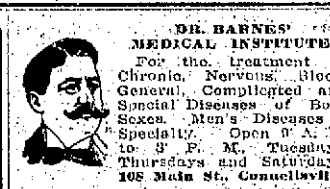
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The News of Nearby Towns.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, April 7.—Charles McDonald of Charleston, is reported very ill at present.

Rev. William Grant, the blind evangelist of this place, is holding evangelistic meetings at Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Delfelt of Charleston, are making preparations for an extended visit in Kansas and Missouri.

Reports from the bedside of H. M. Lawver, who was taken to a hospital in Pittsburgh several weeks ago, state he is just about the same.

Stiles Hoffman is improving and beautifying his lawn around his pleasant residence on the West Side.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Bittner of the West Side who has been quite ill, is reported better at this writing.

O. B. Madden of Fairmont, W. Va., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. A. F. Groat entertained the Ladies' Bible Class of the Lutheran Church, of which she is a member, at her home last evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent, a nice lunch was served by the hostess.

Miss Marie Younkis is improving from her recent severe illness.

The Lutheran Sunday school is preparing for a beautiful Easter service on Easter Sunday evening.

William Burnworth and daughter, Lucille, who have been ill for the past several weeks, are improving slowly.

A five thousand dollar branch of promissory suit has been entered at Somerset by Miss Grace Stark of this place against Mr. Murtz, a traveling salesman of Cumberland, Md.

Mr. Sturtz was recently married to another young lady, hence the suit.

VANDERBILT.

VANDERBILT, April 7.—Mrs. John Rohm of Smithfield visited relatives here Thursday.

Dr. Carroll of Elkinsburg, was a caller here recently.

Mrs. Milton Heals of Juniata, visited friends here yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Newell was a Connelleville shopper yesterday.

Victor Reed is home from his work at Donora, afflicted with an attack of rheumatism.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church met at the home of Mrs. J. B. Henderson on Thursday last.

Miss Vesta Roberts is coming to her home with an attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

G. M. Strickler is a business caller in Uniontown recently.

Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Bell visited friends in Bluffton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson spent Tuesday with relatives in Connelleville.

Mrs. Elizabeth Danley has moved her household goods from East Liberty to Wilkesburg, where she will make her future home.

Miss Margaret Reed visited friends in Connelleville last evening.

The girls' basketball team of the Dunbar township high school, will go to McClellandtown this evening to play a return game.

The directors of the First National Bank will hold their regular monthly meeting in the banking room.

INDIAN CREEK.

INDIAN CREEK, April 7.—Miss Rosa Steddel, left for Indiana State Normal last evening. She will be gone several months.

Jackson Meyers of Ohioyle spent Wednesday night with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Dull.

H. J. Fisher spent Wednesday night at his lumber camp at Bearcamp Run on business.

Miss Lizzie Steddel of MHI Run is spending a few days among Mill Run friends.

S. M. Hutchison of Mill Run was transacting business in Connelleville and Uniontown yesterday.

Mrs. W. S. Johnson, daughter of MHI Run, left for Keokuk yesterday and will spend several days there among relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kelp of Dayton spent yesterday among Connelleville friends and shopping.

T. A. McLean of Jones Mills was a business visitor here yesterday.

Mrs. J. M. Stauffer and children of Scotland spent yesterday at their summer home at White Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Albrecht returned from Connelleville yesterday where they were looking over their new car.

J. M. Illig was a business caller here yesterday.

PENNSVILLE.

PENNSVILLE, April 7.—Mrs. Richard Sherrick of Uniontown, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Younkis on Tuesday.

Charles Adams is off work this week on account of a very badly infected arm.

George W. Baker, Sr., who was operated on at the Mount Pleasant Hospital several weeks ago, has had a relapse and is under the doctor's care at the home of his son, Joseph E. Baker.

Mrs. Simon Snyder of Indian Head, is visiting her sister, Mrs. L. L. Ritchey for a few days this week.

The Pennsville public schools closed Wednesday with a picnic luncheon in the school building. Eight of the pupils took the township examination and all passed.

Revival services are being held in the Pennsville United Evangelical Church every evening this week by the pastor, Rev. Berkey. Next week he will be assisted by Jefferson King of Owensdale.

Mrs. Frank Younkis and daughter Nellie, were at Dawson on Thursday attending the funeral of Mrs. Younkis's brother, James Sherbondy.

DUNBAR.

DUNBAR, April 7.—W. A. Z'ou of Pittsburgh, was a business caller here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Crow were calling on friends and relatives in Con-

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All Preparations Point Towards Easter

Time to Get Your Spring Suit, Mr. Man

AND THE SAFEST PLACE IN CONNELLSVILLE if you want a moderate-priced suit which is thoroughly reliable in every respect is the W. M. Clothing Store.

—Here you are sure of three things—that your suit is absolutely all-wool, that it is brand new in style, and that it is the best we could get for you at the price.

—New models are here in wide assortment; styles for young or older men; smart models and more conservative clothes, for we aim to please everybody.

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The best suit in town for \$15 is our boast. Come in and make us prove it. A great many different styles to choose from in sizes 33 to 46. Stout, slim, short, regular—which-ever you are, we'll fit you well. Ask to see the new Piping

Rock Flannels—they make fine Easter Suits.

—Men who want good Overalls will want "HEADLIGHT" for they set the pace for all other kinds. To be had here in the same good old qualities and weights and the same good blue. \$1.25 the garment.

—Our own make, 90c garment.

—Others at 50c the garment; \$1.00 the suit.

—Boys' Brownie Overalls, 4 to 15 years, 30c.



Sheer Crepe Neckwear is Lovely This Spring

—Some of the most fascinating little and big Collars and Vestees come in this very pretty and very practical crepe, and there is no question but that women have completely fallen in love with them.

—The Collars are in the square sailor shape or a newer form, slightly raised in the back and with points; small short back Collars to wear with coats; deep back Collars, and the new Cape Collars in almost all dimensions. Prices from 50c to \$1.50.

—Vestees are daintily made with tiny tucks, revers and lace trimmings. They are \$1.50 and more.

Women are Asking About Spring Hats for \$5.00



—The answer may be found here in any number of captivating styles in all colors and with various good trimmings.

—For instance, here are the popular little "BOW" Hats, marked \$5. The bodies are of excellent quality hemp, and they are artistically trimmed with large ribbon bows placed at the smartest angles.

—But the Bow Hats are only one style from a vast assortment including both large and small shapes, each with its particular beauty and charm.

Hats of the Better Sort

—As for the Hats of a finer grade, "Ethereal" Sailors and "Velvet Hair Braids" models, which are enjoying quite a run at present, are notable features among a pleasing variety of only the smartest modes. Wings, American Gowns, Parasols, and Flowers are used extensively for trimmings. Prices range gradually from \$5.00 upwards.



New Waists in the Captivating Colors and Styles for Spring

—A very noteworthy collection of striped and figured VOILES in white and colors, and also pretty plain ORGANDIES. Most women buy several of these for they are only 98c EACH.

—Women who are partial to CREPE DE CHINE will find a most gratifying display of their favorite Waists in flesh and white for which they pay only \$2.50.

—Still another popular group is composed of GEORGETTE CREPE and CREPE DE CHINE WAISTS with a few very neat models in combinations of the two. Our price for these Waists, \$3.75.

Extra Pants

—A new pair of Trousers will brighten up the old coat and vest.

—A good showing here in all colors and sizes at \$2 to \$5.50.

—Work Pants \$1.00 to \$2.00.

—Khaki Work Pants, special at \$1.00 pair.

May Pictorial Review Patterns and Fashion Sheets

—Are ready now in our Pattern Department. You will find many pleasing suggestions for Spring and Summer Frocks in the new pattern sheets. Ask for one at the Pattern Counter, First Floor.

Special

50 Per Cent Off on all Guernsey Ware

—Not damaged in any way, but of the same good Wright-Metzler quality. Here are a few of the articles included:

—Caseroles, Bake Dishes, Tea Pots, Rarebit Dishes, Shirred Egg Dishes, Gelatine Molds, Jugs, Baked Bean Pots, Salt Jars and Ramequins.

Other Basement Specials

—Here's a splendid 56-Piece DINING SET for ONLY \$9.75. Johnston's Beatrice. Good quality English Porcelain in dainty flower spray and gold line pattern.

—A large variety of Jardinieres at 30c to \$7.50.

Spring Suits for Your Boy

—Appropriate patterns and shades in good strong materials. Some with 2 pair pants.

—The Wright-Metzler special suit to sell for \$5.00.

—150 Blue Suits at \$5.00.

—Other Suits, \$4.00 to \$12.00.

Luggage

—If you're going away for Easter, you're apt to need new Luggage.

—Fibre Suit Cases, all sizes, \$1 to \$3.50.

—Special all-leather Case, \$5.

—A good Traveling Bag for \$2.50.

—Others at \$4.00 to \$15, with excellent values at \$10.

Bicycle Casings

—We sell only the better casings and sell them less much of the profit. Learn to use only the best. We suggest the following:—

—PENN VACUUM CUP, —STURDY STUD, —SUCCESS.

These Week End Specials in Pure Food Groceries

- 1 lb. Evaporated Raspberries, 25c
- 3 lbs. Evaporated Apples, 25c
- 3 lbs. Evaporated Corn, 25c
- 3 lbs. Navy Beans, 25c
- 3 lbs. Lima Beans, 25c
- 3 lbs. Roman Beans, 25c
- 2 Cans Sun Kist Peaches, 25c
- 3 Cans Sun Kist Cherries, 50c
- 3 Cans Sun Kist Apricots, 50c
- 1 Large Can Plums, 10c
- 1 Can Hunt's Peas, 20c
- 1-25c Can Nabob Pineapple, 15c
- 1-25c Can Honeysuckle Pineapple, 15c
- 3 Cans Stringless Beans, 25c
- 3 Cans Webb's Corn, 25c
- 3 Cans Carmelo Corn, 25c
- 4 Cans Telephone Peas, 25c
- 4 Cans Elk Head Peas, 25c
- 3 Pkgs. Jell-O, 25c
- 3 Cans Dutch Cleanser, 25c
- 3 Boxes Mother's Oats, 25c
- 3 Boxes Purity Oats, 25c
- 3 Pkgs. Fould's Macaroni, 25c
- 3 Pkgs. Golden Egg Macaroni, 25c
- 6 Cans Carnation Milk, 25c
- 6 Cans Silver Cow Milk, 25c
- 7 Cans Hebe Milk, 25c
- 1-25c Box Hershey's Cocoa, 25c
- 1-25c Jar Jam, 15c
- 1-25c Jar Chili Sauce, 15c
- 1-25c Jar Jelly, 10c
- 1-25c Bottle Blue Label Catsup, 15c
- 9 Cakes Gold Band Soap, 25c
- 9 Cakes Ryan's Naphtha Soap, 25c
- 8 Cakes Swift's Pride Soap, 25c
- 6 Cakes Octagon Soap, 25c

Smaller Items all Men Will Need for the Easter Parade

—SPRING SHIRTS in a big variety of smart new patterns and colors. Your choice of Madras, Percale, Crepe or Silk. Prices range \$1 to \$5.

—NEW SPRING TIES, including both handsome four-in-hands and saucy little bows. Beautiful solid shades, dots, stripes, and fancy patterns, 50c to \$1.00.

—NEW SPRING HOSE, in lisle, silk and lisle and silk. Pretty clocked effects in several good colors, stripes, and all the most wanted solid colors. Prices range 15c to \$1.00.

—NEW COLLARS, including the favorite shapes in starched linen collars and many new novelties in soft collars, 2 for 25c and 25c each.

Wright-Metzler Company TWELFTH ANNIVERSARY SALE

will begin WEDNESDAY, APRIL 12th, 1916 Continues One Week

SCHMITZ New Wall Papers

Wall Papers have advanced 25 per cent. My papers were ordered before the advance and the very low prices prevail here. I am showing the most complete line of paper in Fayette county from 2 1/2c to \$1.50 the roll.

Main Oatmeal Paper, bolt 10c. Cut Out Borders, 2c to 10c the yard. Any border cut out free of charge. I handle four complete lines:

The Art Wall Paper Mills, The Pittsburgh Wall Paper Company's Papers, The Hodgson Papers, The Diamond Papers.

See my line. Figure with me on paper and hanging. Work promptly and neatly done.

SCHMITZ

Formerly New York Racket Store. 166 West Main Street, Opposite Yough House.

Connellsville last evening.

The Ladies' Sewing Club was entertained Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. W. Warren on Railroad Street. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mrs. A. H. Hampton was shopping in Connelleville yesterday.

The Gadsden Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Episcopal Church was entertained Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. C. E. Gadsden on Rail-

road Street.

Miss Martha Greer was calling on friends in Uniontown Wednesday.

Word was received here today of the serious illness of Thomas Renier, who is suffering from an attack of appendicitis. On account of Mr. Renier's age and condition of the heart, the physicians will be unable to operate. Mr. Renier was formerly a resident of this place, he being one of the early settlers. Miss Sara Renier left immediately for Morgantown, W. Va.

SOISSON THEATRE

CHILDREN "THE HOUSE OF LILIES" ADULTS 5 TO-DAY 10

LOTTIE PICKFORD IN THE TWO REEL FAMOUS SERIAL "THE DIAMOND FROM THE SKY"

BILLIE RITCHIE IN THE PRISON COMEDY "SCARS AND STRIPES"

RUPERT JULIAN IN THE LAUGHABLE DRAMA "THE DESPERADO"

NEW AND NOVEL SCENES IN THE ANIMATED WEEKLY

TOMORROW THE WORLD FILM CORPORATION PRESENTS CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG IN THE FIVE REEL SENSATIONAL BROADWAY TRIUMPH

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Large Consumers of Furnace Ask Suspension of Shipments.

FURNACES HAD RESERVE COKE

Spot Coke Being Offered More Freely but Demand Seems to be Limited. The Iron Market Shows Firm Tone But Not as Active as First Week.

Special to The Weekly Courier. PITTSBURGH, April 5.—Contracting for foundry coke has proceeded apace, and it is estimated that about two-thirds the regular contract business is now under cover, some for six months and some for a year from July 1, the regular market level being \$2.50. Spot foundry coke hovers around \$2.75 for good brands, the day of fancy prices for spot coke being over.

Struthers furnace, which was taking about 15,000 tons of coke a month and was expected to go out of blast about May 1 for a general overhauling, was forced to blow out suddenly last week. Several other large consumers of coke have asked for suspension of shipments on contract for periods of from one to two weeks. In these cases it is believed the furnaces had reserves of coke against contingencies, and the time for the contingencies is past. The winter is over and there is no suspension of finding in the steel business. For a week or more there have been fairly good car supplies, and thus there has been no difficulty in maintaining production. The latest question is whether there may not be a surplus, and it is understood there has been a conference relative to the desirability of restricting output in case of too much coke appearing in the market.

In the past few days there have been many numerous offerings of furnace coke for spot shipment than for many weeks past, and as the demand has been quiet and limited, nearly all furnaces appearing to have adequate supplies. The market has come visibly lower although the minimum is not well established as most consumers do not take enough interest to ask for close quotations.

The question of furnace coke contracts for the second half of the year is becoming somewhat more interesting. There are some negotiations on foot but they are not being pursued with particular vigor. There is no very large proportion of the assumption to be covered for the half year, as the majority of the contracting was done for the whole of the present year, and those who contracted for the half year only are naturally those who are less disposed than others to look far ahead. It is possible that some of the second half business will not be closed for a couple of months yet. Contracts thus far reported as made are about 10,000 tons a month March to December, an equal monthly tonnage for second half, both at \$3.00, and 15,000 tons a month for second half at \$2.50, the lower priced business having been done the earliest. It is possible that one or two first half contracts have been extended over second half at \$2.50 or a shade above that figure. The majority of operations are taking \$3.00 on any additional business that may come up. The market as a whole is now quotable as follows:

Spot furnace \$2.75 @ \$3.00
Contract furnace \$2.50 @ \$3.00
Spot foundry \$2.75
Contract foundry \$2.50

The pig iron market shows a very firm tone but is not as active as a week ago, viewed either in the light of transactions in the past few days or in the light of inquiry now current. Consumers appear to be fairly well covered for the time being, and it is not until July or somewhat later, and in the case of steel works that regularly buy merchant iron clear through the year. It is thought likely that these steel works will require additional iron from this time on, and there has been a theory for weeks, held in well posted quarters, that the large steel interests, which normally make all the iron they need, will with the present pressure for steel have occasion to buy iron in the open market. As the furnaces are well sold up and there are practically no idle furnaces, to get into blast, the supplies cannot be materially increased and any further demand would likely send prices up sharply. The market now stands quotable as follows:

Bessemer \$21.00 @ \$21.50
Basic \$18.50 @ \$19.00
No. 2 foundry \$18.50 @ \$19.00
Pig iron \$18.00 @ \$18.50

These prices are f. o. b. Valley furnaces, prices delivered Pittsburgh being higher by the 35-cent freight. W. H. Stearns & Company, who make a monthly computation of the average price of the Bessemer and basic iron sold by Valley furnaces, in lots of 1,000 tons and over, report the averages for March as follows:

The Valley basic Bessemer, \$20.9525, an increase of 64.85 cents; basic \$18.25, an increase of 24.6 cents.

COKE REVIEW.

The Connellsville coke trade took a new high record in volume last week, production and shipments closely approximating 175,000 tons. The movement was from ovens to cars, there being no stock handled. The car supply was 100% of required amount. Labor gained recognition that enabled the operators generally to secure a better product, such as well as to increase the number of ovens in blast, 750 having been added to active blast. The region is running 88% of its ovens at 98% of capacity, which is nearing the actual limit of production. In fact, the operators are making about all the coke they can.

Through persistent efforts the labor supply has gradually been recruited to a full complement than for a long period. Oven operation is well taken care of and men provided for minute consideration of coal which has been shipped out of the region for by-product plants and other purposes. Many of the accessories to the working force have come from West Virginia, the Connellsville region having the added attraction of better wages.

Contracting for foundry coke for the second half is brisk, but dull in furnace, negotiations in the latter not being vigorously pushed. Offerings of spot coke are more numerous, but demand is limited, nearly all furnaces appearing to have adequate supplies. The market is visibly lower. The day of fancy spot coke seems to be over.

STEEL TRADE STRONG; HAS FAITH IN FUTURE

A Heavy Demand for Steel Expected After the War Ends the Big Car Plant.

Special to The Weekly Courier. NEW YORK, April 5.—The American Metal Market and Daily Iron & Steel Report will review the steel and iron trade tomorrow as follows: Those who have been looking for an eventual collapse in the demand for steel can find no encouragement in the developments up to date. Projects are deferred, not finally abandoned, and thus a short interest is accumulating which should support the market in the near future. It is becoming clearer that whenever the time arrives that prices are too high they will not start tumbling to the bottom, but will be subject to readjustment. There is less and less buying for far forward delivery, buying that might to an extent be called "speculative," and the market is being made more and more by the current demand. More commodities are passing into the class in which there is no clear cut market price, and in which indeed there is a so-called "official" or nominal price, but with all sellers actually asking higher prices. The latest arrival in this class is wire products which for several days have been quoted higher than the ostensible market. The formal advance expected for a fortnight or longer has not been announced.

Stems multiply that the steel interests expect a heavy demand for steel in future years, after the war. Purely a post-bellum proposition is the steel plant the National Tube Company will build at Gary with a capacity of 500,000 tons of finished product, more than one-fifth the maximum production hitherto attained. Of similar nature is the entrance of C. M. Schwab, of tonnage fame, into the tin plate field. The belligerents will have no occasion to buy steel from us after the war, but they will probably buy other commodities, and prosperity is "apparently" regarded as secured for the United States, with export trade and with the launching of projects now held up by the war.

There is a possibility that standard rails, practically unchanged in price for 15 years, will advance at the end of this month. Other steel products are \$17 a net ton above their average in the past 15 years.

OUTSIDE COKE MARKET

Is Holding Firm at Buffalo and Exceptionally Strong at Baltimore. Reports to the Coal Trade Journal indicate that the coke market is holding firmly at Buffalo, but the top prices recently recorded are not being realized at present. Spot shipments are commanding a premium and deliveries are quite slow. Quotations are \$5.00 for 72-hour foundry, \$4.00 to \$5.15 for 48-hour furnace and \$4.40 to \$4.55 for stock coke. The demand is steady.

At Baltimore coke remains exceptionally strong; indeed many consumers are wondering what causes its still backbone to present. The Black Diamond notes that the market in Chicago is a little soft. The new April price on the domestic elms is \$4.50 for egg, stove and nut. Gas house is fairly firm at \$4.50 to \$4.60. Connellsville coke is a little easier in tone, but the price is firm at \$4.50. By-product foundry remains as previously quoted.

Russia Buys American Holdings. It is reported that the Russian government has purchased the coal mining properties of American and Norwegian interests on the island of Spitzbergen for \$20,000,000.

New Office Building at Bethlehem. The Bethlehem Steel company has placed a contract for an eight story office building to be constructed at Bethlehem, Pa.

THE 8-HOUR DAY DEMAND MAY GET INTO POLITICS

Washington Hears Rumors of a Plan to Secure Endorsement

BY THE NATIONAL CONVENTIONS

Several Suggestions Looking to Mediation and a Peaceful Settlement Are Being Made, But Responsibilities Involved Are Not Fully Realized.

The Washington correspondent of the Railway Age Gazette notes that paramount interest centers there, so far as railroad matters are concerned, in the formal presentation to the railroads by the brotherhoods of their "eight-hour day" demands. Washington is, as a rule, slow to react to outside stimuli, and in all likelihood the majority of Congress, to say nothing of the cabinet, are quite ignorant of the latent and dangerous possibilities in the situation.

The announcement by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States of its special committee to investigate such phases of this critical situation as relate to the interests of the public has considerable importance. The Chamber of Commerce has strong and intimate connections with officers of the government and its investigations possess an indisputable commensurate with that of a publicly maintained institution.

The rumor is gaining currency here that the brotherhoods will go before the resolution committee of the Republican and Democratic national conventions in June with the demand that the conventions endorse, in terms, the eight-hour day. But boldly in this way, with no chance of going into the technical details, an issue will be presented to the statements of the two or more political parties which will be hard for them to avoid. When the conventions meet in June, the railroad situation will probably be under acute, and the presentation of a cleverly worded plank will force the hands of the party leaders. If they refuse the request of the men they will run a grave risk of being attacked as "monopolists of labor." If they accede to the request they will run an equally grave risk of the righteous wrath of the railroads for making a political issue out of a matter properly belonging to the sphere of arbitration and economics. It will be, in short, the usual case of being between the devil and the deep blue sea.

It is yet too early to forecast what the solution may be, but forewarned is forearmed, and there is hope that such a complication as that suggested can be avoided by intelligent and enlightened action. At the present time with the air full of war and rumors of war, those who will be asked to endorse the eight-hour day at Chicago and St. Louis have scarcely begun to think about their responsibilities. Meanwhile there are various suggestions looking toward a peaceful settlement. Charles L. Bernheimer, chairman of the standing committee on arbitration of the Chamber of Commerce of New York state, proposes that the National Civic Federation or the organization which Mr. Bernheimer represents, might offer, "in a spirit of friendliness and good will, plans looking toward mediation or arbitration." He goes on to recommend inviting delegates from the operators and from the workers to meet in conference under the auspices of one of these organizations in an attempt to get together. He seems to forget, however, that if mediation is to be employed, the United States Board of Mediation and Conciliation is already in existence.

DON'T LIKE NEW SCALE

Monongahela River Miners Prefer Screen Basis of Payment.

A number of coal mining sections affected by the recent wage agreement are not wholly satisfied with some of its provisions. The miners of Western Pennsylvania believe the mine-run basis of payment will reduce their wages. In the Monongahela valley, particularly around Charleroi, the men do not favor the new contract.

At the mines between Monongahela and Brownsville the miners are pronounced in their preference for the old or screen basis of settlement, believing the new scale is based on the supposition that more slack will be made than the miners are now making. The miners in this region will probably be against a confirmation of the agreement when due protocol is submitted to a referendum.

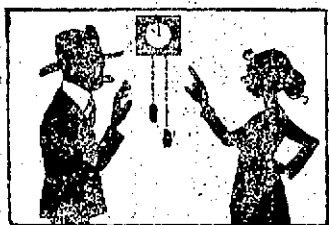
New York Central's Rail Orders. The New York Central Railroad Company has increased its rail tonnage for delivery in 1917 by 35,000 tons, making the total orders distributed for lines West and East of Buffalo, 175,000 tons.

Coal Is Exhausted. Coal in the Schoenberger mine of the Pittsburgh-Westmoreland Coal Company, at Bald Station, has been exhausted and the mine abandoned.

West Virginia Miners Get Advance. The Guyandotte Valley Coal Operators' Association of West Virginia has granted an advance of 5 per cent in miners' wages, effective April 1.

Hunting Bargains? If so, read our advertising columns and you will find them.

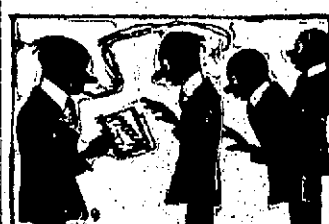
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You are regarded with suspicion when you have to work late at the office:



You are liable to get arrested if you offer to escort an old lady across the street:



But you are as popular as a rich bachelor at a summer resort when you pass around your cigarettes.

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During the 7 Day Wonder Sale The Bargains we offer you are positively without a parallel for style, quality and lowness of price.

But It Is for 7 Days Only. You Must Hurry Up.

\$3.00 to \$5.00 Saved on every Man's Suit. \$1.50 saved on every Boy's Suit. And in addition to the real saving SPECIAL FREE GIFTS inducements offered during the Seven Day Wonder Sale. See below:—

Dress Up IN ONE OF OUR SUITS at \$10	Spruce Up IN ONE OF OUR SUITS at \$15	Smarten Up IN ONE OF OUR SUITS at \$20
Same quality elsewhere cost \$13.00. Save the \$3.00 during the 7-Day Wonder Sale.	Same quality elsewhere cost \$20.00. Save the \$5.00 during the 7-Day Wonder Sale.	Same style elsewhere cost \$25.00. Save the \$5.00 during the 7-Day Wonder Sale.

Every new model, every new fabric is here for your choosing no matter what price garment you select.

Free With every Man's Suit during this 7-Day Wonder Sale, a \$1.15 Dress Shirt and a 50c 4-in-hand Tie. This is a special inducement in addition to saving you \$3.00 to \$5.00 on every garment.

7 Day Wonder Sale on Boys' Suits, Sizes 6 to 18

Suits We Offer at \$4	Suits We Offer at \$5	Suits We Offer at \$6
With Double Pants. Same quality elsewhere cost \$5.50. Save the \$1.50 during the 7-Day Wonder Sale. A 50c Cap Free With the Suit.	With Double Pants. Same quality elsewhere cost \$6.50. Save the \$1.50 during the 7-Day Wonder Sale. A 50c Cap Free With the Suit.	With Double Pants. Same quality elsewhere cost \$7.50. Save the \$1.50 during the 7-Day Wonder Sale. A 50c Cap Free With the Suit.

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Laurel Flour, small sack	.95c	Sugar Cured Ham, lb.	19c
Minnehaha Flour, large sack	\$1.85	California Ham, lb.	15c
Minnehaha Flour, small sack	.85c	Square Deal Bacon, 2 lbs.	25c
Buckwheat Flour, 10-lb. sack	.22c	Bacon, pound	18c and 25c
Corn Meal, 10-lb. sack	.22c	Round Steak, lb.	20c
Pancake Flour, all kinds, package	.8c	Stridin Steak, lb.	24c
Buckwheat Flour, package	.8c	Tenderloin Steak, lb.	24c
Lenox Soap, 7 bars	25c	Chuck Roast, lb.	18c
Silver Gloss Soap, 7 bars	25c	Beef Boil, lb.	12 1/2c-15c
Octagon Soap, 6 bars	25c	Home Made Sausage, lb.	18c
Swift's Pride Soap, 7 bars	25c	Loan Pork Chops, lb.	20c-22c
Catsup, three 10c bottles	25c	Pork Shoulder, lb.	16c-18c
Pumpkin, 3 cans	25c	Whole Pork Shoulder, lb.	16c
Red Beets, 3 cans	25c	Fresh Country Eggs	26c
Good Peaches, 2 cans	25c	Mother's Oats, 3 packages	25c
Milk, 3 large cans	25c	Serv-U Oats, 3 packages	25c
Milk, 6 small cans	25c	Oranges, per dozen	10c-15c-20c-25c-38c
Arbuckle's Coffee, lb.	22c	Lemons, per dozen	15c-20c
Satisfaction, Old Reliable, Black Cross,		Grapefruit, 6 for	25c
Tartar Sauce and Admiral Coffee, lb.	25c	Grapefruit, 4 for	25c
60c Tea, lb.	35c	Grapefruit, 3 for	25c
25 lbs. Cane Sugar	\$1.80		

A Full Line of Vegetables.

THE CONNELLSVILLE MARKET

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CLUB OF THIRTY OFFER IS REAL BEGINNING OF GREAT RACE FOR COURIER PRIZES

Most Votes Will Win Best Prizes and Now is the Time to Get Them in the Largest Number They Will Ever be Offered; Biggest Extra Vote Now in Force and It Closes May 1.

Wide awake contestants are beginning to realize the importance of the "Club of Thirty" period, and are preparing to gather subscriptions in large numbers.

There is nothing hard about the contest, and it will not be hard to win. Once you make up your mind and the battle is on, it is easy to get subscriptions to The Courier. Most every one in this vicinity takes The Courier and will renew their subscription if you ask them. Those who do not take this paper in most cases is because they have not been asked to do so.

See your friends at once and tell them you are in to win and want them to save the coupons for you and give you their subscription. Votes are issued on old subscriptions according to the vote table printed in the contest advertisement. Three times that number of votes will be given on new subscriptions.

During the Club of Thirty offer, 300,000 extra votes will be given for every \$30 in new subscriptions and 300,000 extra votes will be given for every \$30 in old subscriptions. This is the largest offer of extra votes that will be made and it closes May 1.

Several contestants have asked how many of these clubs it will take to win the Sixton. The easiest answer can not answer the question, neither can anyone else. The automobile will be given to the contestant having the most votes not a specified number of votes. The acre garden lot will be given to the contestant having the second largest number of votes. After the two grand prizes have been awarded, the contestant having the largest number of votes in each of the three districts will each receive a victrola. The contestant standing second highest in each of the districts will each be given a \$40 diamond ring. All contestants remaining in the contest

to the finish turning in as much as \$10 in new subscriptions the last week of the contest and not winning one of the listed prizes will be given a cash commission on all moneys turned in by them. This is the offer The Courier makes to all those who help in this work of renewing subscriptions, getting new subscribers and making new friends.

Consider the prize you want thoroughly—the value and the pleasure it will mean to you then proceed to make your efforts measure up to it. If it is the automobile you want prove that you want it more than anyone else by getting the most votes. Now is the time to get votes in larger numbers for the same amount of work than any other time during the contest. Extra votes will take a sudden tumble immediately after the close of this offer May 1.

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A REAL FLESH BUILDER FOR THIN PEOPLE

Thin men and women—that big heart, filling dinner you eat last night. What became of all the fat-producing nourishment it contained? You haven't gained in weight one ounce. That food passed from your body like unburned coal through an open grate. The material was there but your food doesn't work and eat, and the plain truth is you hardly get enough nourishment from your meals to pay for the cost of cooking. This is true of this folks the world over. Your nutritive organs, your functions of assimilation are probably suffering out of gear and need reconstruction.

Cut out the foolish foods and funny sawdust diets. Cut out everything but the meals you are eating and eat with every one of those a single sugar tablet in two weeks note the difference. Let the scales be the judge. Five to eight good solid pounds of healthy fat they may be the result. Sugarol aims to change your stomach and with millions of fresh new red blood corpuscles to live the blood carrying power to deliver every ounce of fat-making material in your food to every part of your body. Sugarol, too, induces with your food to prepare it for the blood in an easily assimilated form. Thin people tell how they have gained all the way from 10 to 25 pounds a month while taking Sugarol and say that the new flesh gives them a feeling of well-being and money talk as found in every large package. —Advt.

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STEEL RAILS COST MORE

Hence Independent Makers Think the Price Should be Advanced

Some of the independent manufacturers of steel rails are much perturbed because of the decision of the United States Steel Corporation to make no change in the price of standard section rail. It is pointed out that the advance in the price of ferromanganese alone adds \$3.45 per ton to the cost of manufacturing rails today. Compared with the period when ferromanganese sold at \$60 per ton, the comparison is made with ferromanganese placed at \$160 per ton recently for relatively early shipment. It is claimed that some of the independent steel companies are not fully covered on manganese ore and consequently must pay high prices in the open market, which means a sharp reduction in the profit of rolling rails at \$25 to \$30 per ton.

Since the Bethlehem Steel company secured control of the Cambria, Pennsylvania and Maryland Steel companies, properties one blast furnace at Sparrows Point has been put on the manufacture of ferromanganese from a Brazilian ore for the Cambria Steel company. The Lackawanna Steel company, it is stated is not well provided with ferromanganese for its future. In fact with the exception of the Pennsylvania Steel company most of the independent manufacturers of rails are facing a serious situation because of an inadequate supply of ferromanganese. The United States Steel Corporation, however, is well provided with ore for the manufacture of ferromanganese.

No Passengers Killed in Three Years. The Pennsylvania railroad east of Pittsburgh and Erie has just completed its third successive year in which no passenger was killed in a train accident. A reduction of 11 per cent in accidents to employees last year was also recorded.

Try our classified advertisements.

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Nine-Tenths of All Stomach Troubles Due to Acidity

Says New York Physician

A New York physician who has made a special study of stomach and intestinal diseases says that nearly all intestinal troubles as well as many diseases of the vital organs are really traceable to a damaged condition of the stomach. This in turn is due about nine times out of ten to excessive acidity commonly termed stomach or heartburn which not only irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach but may cause gastritis and dangerous stomach ulcers. It is interesting to note that he condemns the use of patent medicines of practically all medical treatment that is designed to act upon the stomach lining stating that the best results are obtained by the use of a simple antacid which acts upon the contents of the stomach and neutralizes the acidity of the food thus removing the source of the trouble. An antacid he prescribes ordinary bismuthated magnesia. He contends that it is as foolish to treat the stomach itself as it would be to treat a man who stepped in a tack to rub liniment on the foot without first removing the tack. Remove the tack and the foot will heal itself—neutralize the acid and the stomach troubles will disappear. Irritating medicines and medical treatments are useless so long as the contents of the stomach remains acid. Remove the acidity and there will be no need for medicine—the inflamed lining of the stomach will then heal itself. Sufferers from acidity, sour stomach and heartburn should get a small bottle of bismuthated magnesia from their druggist and take a teaspoonful in a quarter of a glass of hot cold water, after each meal repeating in fifteen minutes if necessary, this being the dose which the doctor has found most efficacious in all cases. —Advt.

WANTS REPARATION

Lackawanna Steel Company Seeks to Recover on High Right-of-Way Paid.

The Lackawanna Steel Company has instituted reparation proceedings against the South Buffalo railroad and 15 other carriers whose lines connect with the South Buffalo at or near Lackawanna.

The South Buffalo is an industrial line owned by the Lackawanna Steel Company. In the second decision in the industrial railroads case the commission held the South Buffalo was a common carrier. Allowances of 10 cents a ton on raw material and 15 cents a ton on finished material shipped were made by the trunk line to the South Buffalo road, and therefore went indirectly to the Lackawanna Steel Company. These allowances were cut off on April 1, 1911 as the result of the first decision in the "industrial railroads" case and in consequence the Lackawanna had to pay local and higher rates on shipments. It is seeking reparation from the time the allowances were cut off until they were restored April 1, 1915.

Pending Steel Business. An enormous volume of business is still pending. The prospective railroad equipment orders alone will call for nearly 1,000,000 tons of steel. Foreign business is also under negotiation which will require consumption of 400,000 to 500,000 tons.

CHILD'S TONGUE BECOMES COATED IF CONSTIPATED.

When Cross, Feverish and Sick Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Children love this fruit laxative and nothing else cleanses the tender stomach, liver and bowels so nicely. A child simply will not stop playing to empty the bowels, and the result is they become tightly clogged with waste. Liver gets sluggish, stomach sour, then your little one becomes cross, half-sick, feverish, don't eat, sleep or set naturally. Breath is bad, system full of cold, has sore throat, stomach-ache or diarrhoea. Later, Mother sees tongue is coated then give a teaspoonful of California Syrup of Figs, and in a few hours all the constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the system and you have a well, playful child.

Millions of mothers give California Syrup of Figs because it is perfectly harmless, children love it and it never fails to act on the stomach, liver and bowels. For a 50 cent bottle of California Syrup of Figs which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine made by California Fig Syrup Company. Refuse any other kind with contempt. —Advt.

MILLIONS FOR WELFARE

United States Steel Corporation Has Sent \$99,950,000 in 14 Years.

During the year 1915 the United States Steel Corporation spent \$8,742,849 in welfare work at its various plants. Prior to 1912 separate accounts were not kept of the expenditures, but the total expenditures for the years 1912, 1913, 1914 and 1915 were \$24,700,000.

The employee pension plan costing \$1,000,000 a year began with the year 1911. The employee stock subscription plan costing \$750,000 a year began with the year 1902. Accident prevention work costing \$100,000 a year began with the year 1906. It is a safe estimate that sums of \$5,000,000 were expended in 1911, \$4,500,000 in each year from 1908 to 1910, inclusive, \$3,750,000 each year from 1903 to 1905 inclusive and \$3,000,000 each in 1901 and 1902. This would make a total expenditure for the 14 years from 1901 to and including 1915 of \$99,950,000.

Resumes Despatch Department. The Bethlehem Steel Company is starting up its Despatch steelmaking department to furnish steel for the rail and structural mills. This department has been shut down since June 30, 1913.

An Alaskan Rush. A great rush is now on to reach the Alaskan coal fields which are being opened up by the construction of the government railroad.

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STEEL SALES DURING MARCH WERE ENORMOUSLY HEAVY

Known Transactions Amounted to 1,000,000 Tons, Over Half of Which Was Railroad Purchases

The known transactions in steel products during the month of March amounted to at least 1,000,000 tons, more than half of which was due to railroad purchases of equipment. Relatively few orders for war material were placed, although negotiations continued actively on 170,000 tons of shell bars and on 170,000 tons of shells and projectiles. Miscellaneous orders for export in small lots amounted to about 30,000 tons. Automobile manufacturers bought about 100,000 tons of steel sheets and special steel for the last quarter of 1915 and the first quarter of 1917. The shipyards took additional contracts for 100,000 tons to be built on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts which will require about 25,000 tons of steel plates. Heavy contracts also were placed for steel pipes and wire products although orders from the agricultural districts have fallen off sharply in the last three weeks.

The rail mills took orders for 200,000 tons of standards and light sections including about 50,000 tons for export. March 1 all contracts were between 500,000 and 175,000 tons. The car order for the Burlington 750 for the Union Trust Line, to be built by merchant shops and 2,000 for the Pennsylvania to be built at the Altoona shops. In March the railroads bought 11,000 cars. The demand for motive power was impressive, sales during the week amounting to 223 locomotives, the largest orders being for the Pennsylvania Lines West 30 for the Missouri Pacific, and 75 for the Russian Imperial government. The total March orders were 473 engines making total purchases since the beginning of the year 1,150 locomotives.

Steel building work continued active. Contracts taken by the fabricating shops amounted to 50,000 tons, half of which will be required in the building of the National Tube Company plant at Gary, Ind.

STEEL FABRICATORS MERGE

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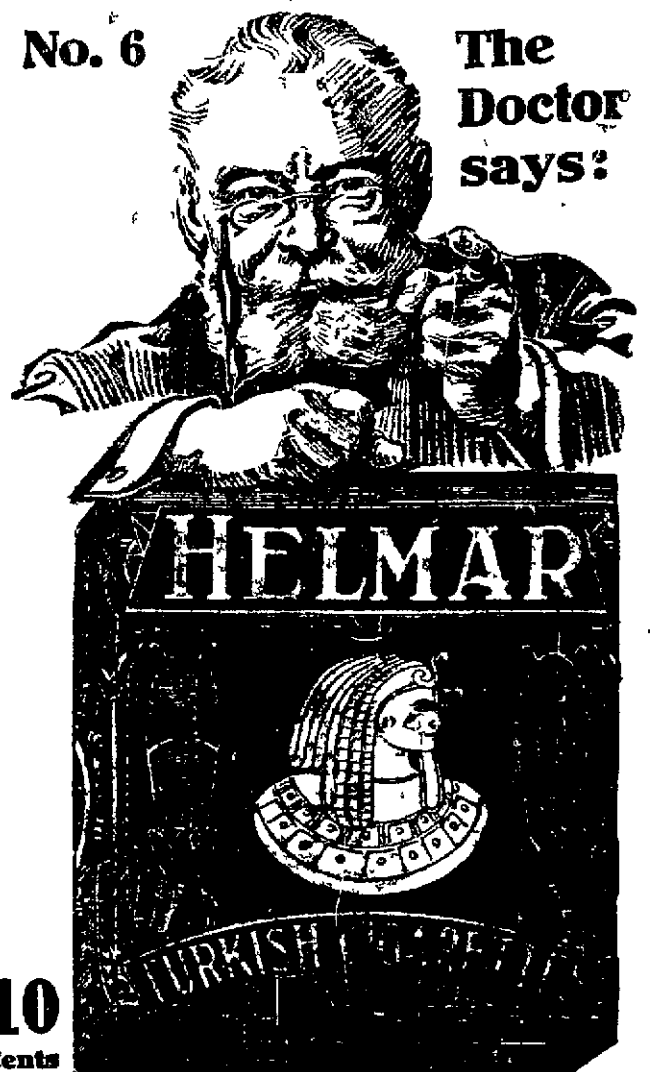
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There was something in that sigh so eloquent of defeated expression that it succeeded where words might have failed. It called to Alex with the strong call of helpless things. It drew back her mind to Gerry. With him and the girl she threaded the path to Fazenda Flores. Its ruins sprang upon her through his eyes. With him she discovered the traces of an ancient ditch with him and the old dark she dug along that line through long hot months. She grew to know Lieber as the tale went on and finally to love him because of all things Lieber seemed to her to love—somebody else's love—most. She averted herself with Kemp and his dream. She tried to keep her thoughts away from Margarita and at the coming of Margarita's boy, she winced.

As he finished telling of the coming of the Man, Gerry stopped short. The thought came to him with tremendous force that Alex too had gone through that for him. The impulse to get up and throw himself before her and on his knees to thank her almost tore him from his seat but he could not. He hurried on with his story. He told of the coming of Alan and of the revelation he had brought. And then in a choked voice and only because he had set himself to tell the whole truth he pictured the flood the death of Truro Blue, and the overwhelming by the waters before his very eyes of Margarita and the Man. Then he arose and with hands braced on the table leaned towards Alex. "I have told you this so that perhaps you may understand what I am going to tell you now. If the flood had not come—if Margarita and the Man had lived—I would not have come back."

Alex sat very still and studied Gerry's face. He had finished the task he had set himself to do and he was suddenly very tired. His eyes dropped as though from their own weight and then he raised them again to her inscrutable face.

"Well?" he asked after a long pause. "Well?" replied Alex. "It is quite just," he said, after all that, that you should not want me. I have spent the last weeks making myself ready for that. You waited for me. I didn't wait for you. If you do not want me, I will go away."

Alex rose slowly to her feet. She looked very slim and tall in her clinging gown. To Gerry she looked very cold. "Before you go," she said, "there is just one thing. I wish you would kiss me—once."

Gerry's body straightened and stiffened. He stared at her grave face with wondering eyes. Then he felt a strange tingling ripple through his blood and before he knew what he did he had swept her from her feet, crushed her to him, brushed the crown of her head back from her brow and kissed her eyes, her mouth, her throat. He was rough with her. He was bruising her body, her lips, but Alex clung to him and laughed. Then suddenly all her slim body relaxed and slipped through his arms to a little white heap on the floor. She began to sob. Gerry stooped down, picked her up tenderly and laid her on the great leather couch. He knelt beside her. On one arm he supported her head, with the other hand he sought for "Please, Alex," he begged, "Please Don't Cry."

"I'm not crying," sobbed Alex. "I'm laughing."

Gerry smiled and waited. Soon Alex became quiet. Her eyes closed. She drew a long, quivering breath and then she opened her eyes again and her lips broke into the old dear smile, the smile of an opening flower. "I am tired—tired," she said, "but I believe I'm almost happier than I am tired."

"I'm glad you said it first," replied Gerry, giving serious thought to the fact that he was faint with hunger himself. "Ever since some funny Johnny wrote, 'Feed the brute,' we men have been busy about eating our stomachs. It's four o'clock hours after lunch time."

"Really?" said Alex, nestling down closer to his arm and letting her smiling eyes wander over him. "How well this suit fits you. There's something about it—it isn't, is it?"

Gerry nodded. "Same old suit. By the way, when I came in John said you told him to telephone to the club and say you wished to see me. What made you think I would go to the club first?"

Alex looked puzzled. "I didn't. I didn't tell John to telephone." She paused, still puzzling, then her face cleared. "Why—your old job—be—getting very old, you know, Gerry. That was three years ago I told him to telephone—the day you never came back. It must have been the suit. He saw you standing there in the same suit and three years became as one day to the old fellow."

Gerry sighed. "Alex do you want those three years to become as a day to us?"

Alex shook her head slowly from side to side. "No, dear, I don't. They have given me—given me both for

more than they took away." She put her hand around his neck, drew him down and kissed him. "You do not know yet all that they have given you. You think you have come back and found me a frittling butterfly in a great empty house. But you've found only my abandoned cocoon. I'm not here at all. I've packed myself into the dearest little bundle of pink fat, yellow curls and chubby legs, and left the bundle on Red Hill."

Gerry nodded but he was grave and silent. Not in a day nor a month could he altogether forget the Man.

Gerry had always been quiet but during the long drive from the station to The First his silence amounted to a penetrating stillness. Alex felt it but it did not depress her. She knew herself to be in the presence of a communion. Gerry was devoting the hour of his return to the scenes of his boyhood to a silent consecration. These

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After the first excitement of getting home was over Gerry found himself restless with the same restlessness that had attacked him during the days at Fazenda Flores. He tried for a solution in the same way. Day after day long before the rest of the Hill was awake he was off for a ten mile walk.

At first it was with head dropped and eyes on the ground that he plowed his way through a dew soaked world but there came a time when he walked with head thrown back, full lungs and level eyes.

Then Kemp arrived. Gerry tried to get him to join him in his walks but Kemp shook his head sadly.

"Ef you can't let me have a horse, Mr. Lansing," he said, "I'll ride the cow."

Gerry laughed. They saddled the horses themselves and started out. On the top of old Bald Head Gerry dismounted and sat down on a rock. Kemp followed suit.

"Kemp," said Gerry, "I want to thank you for the things you said to my wife—Alex."

Kemp flushed and waved a deprecating hand. "You saw things straight," went on Gerry, "and I want to thank you too for letting me hear the myself."

"I ain't curious about the Mr. Lansing," said Kemp, "so much's about what you're goin' to do when you untie yourself."

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CHAPTER XXXVI

It was late afternoon of a day in the gorgeous month. A shower had fallen on Red Hill and after it had come the sun. Wispes of mist a tail cloud hurried across the sun washed heavens as though they were ashamed to be caught in their ragged clothes under a blue sky. Downy topped masses of cumulus poked drowsy heads over the horizon and watched them run. Out of the dome of heaven filtered a single trill of song.

The Hill was very still but presently from far away on the West Lake road came the whining of a horse a little later, a little nearer, a peal of laughter, then the sound of wheels and clattering voices. A wagonette, two spring wagons and a pony cart burst from Long lane and wheeled right and left. They were full of grown ups turned young for a day and youths that thought they would be young for ever.

The wagonette swinging down the road toward Maple house, suddenly swerved and plowed through the tall grass. Alan and Clem on the end seats were almost thrown out. Alan looked back at the road and stared. A fat donkey had claimed the right of way and held it. Several lengths of legs stuck out from her bulging sides. Behind her hurried a panding nurse.

Alan turned to Clem. "Do donkeys never die?"

"Oh! I hope not," said Clem gravely. "You change them. We changed ours while you were away."

"So she has been changed," said Alan. "Well, that's something."

"Shilly," said Clem. "You've been seeing that donkey every day for weeks."

"No," said Alan. "This is the first time I've really seen her."

The sun took a last long look at Red Hill and dropped out of sight. Then as though he would come back and look again he sent up a broad afterglow that climbed and climbed till the tip of the very clouds that peeped over Tass mountain were tinged with the rosy light.

From an open upstairs window came Clem's soft voice. "Yes, dear, pink night caps. The e big sleep clouds are putting them on because they are just glad to go to bed."

"Wants pink night caps?"

"Why, darling, night caps are only for white-headed people and white-

headed clouds. Just wait until you're white-headed. Now climb into bed and I'll tell—"

Beyond the mountain ash thicket a lone sick Bob White kept saying Good-night, to his mate. She answered sleepily.

From Maple house, The First and down the road, from Elm house warm lights flashed out and settled down into a steady glow. A burst of young voices swept into the night and died away followed into the silence by soft laughter. From The First came the low, angry wail of the fat young god choiced off in midnight by the soft land of sleep. Then the scurrying of many feet along the dusty road silence and last of all, the falling whistle of a boy signaling good night—sound ringing good by in a happy day.

Thus passed before the moon popped into the sky, hurrying just as fast as though she knew she was forty minutes late again. One by one lights went out. Other lights gleamed from upper windows, then they in turn, went out. Red Hill had gone to bed.

From Maple house Alan slipped out to smoke a last cigar. He hesitated a moment and then strode through the long grass laden with dew, jewels for the night. He crossed to the old church and climbed the crumbling stairs to his belfry. He jumped into one of the arches and sat down his legs dangling. His eyes wandered slowly over the familiar scene. From behind their trees Maple house, The First and Elm house blinked up at him dimly before them ran the ribbon of road white under moonlight. Elphie, it each end into the wide world. Up and down

the road before The First paced two figures—Gerry and Alex. Gerry's arm was around her. Long black shadows, all pointing to the west like fallen silhouettes cut the moonlight above them the autumn-painted trees gave out a golden echo of light.

Alan drew a great, quivering breath. "My boy, you have been far far away," J. Y. had said and he had answered "yes, but I have come back." But it was only now tonight, that he had really come back.

Alan's wandering eyes settled on Maple house. "Even as a hen gathering her chickens under her wings," he whispered.

And then the peace of home descended upon him. On his scarred spirit he felt the touch of the healing hands of home. Its sweetness and its power, its love everlasting demanding love for ever knuckled at his waking heart and found the door open. Far, far he had wandered in the world of mind and the world of men but in the end he had come back like a Wayne to the eternal mother of the Wayne. To night he knew that his drifting soul had dropped anchor at last.

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There are three of these fine \$100 Grafonolas—one for each District

After the grand prizes have been awarded, the Contestant standing highest in each District will each receive one of these Grafonolas

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the road before The First paced two figures—Gerry and Alex. Gerry's arm was around her. Long black shadows, all pointing to the west like fallen silhouettes cut the moonlight above them the autumn-painted trees gave out a golden echo of light.

Alan drew a great, quivering breath. "My boy, you have been far far away," J. Y. had said and he had answered "yes, but I have come back." But it was only now tonight, that he had really come back.

Alan's wandering eyes settled on Maple house. "Even as a hen gathering her chickens under her wings," he whispered.

And then the peace of home descended upon him. On his scarred spirit he felt the touch of the healing hands of home. Its sweetness and its power, its love everlasting demanding love for ever knuckled at his waking heart and found the door open. Far, far he had wandered in the world of mind and the world of men but in the end he had come back like a Wayne to the eternal mother of the Wayne. To night he knew that his drifting soul had dropped anchor at last.

(THE END)

Announcement Extraordinary

CLOTHING and SHOES

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Beginning Saturday, April 8, continuing to Wednesday, April 19

THE SALE OF A LIFETIME, LIKE A SHOWER OF GOLDEN DOLLARS OUT OF A CLEAR SKY. COME AND SEE THE BARGAINS OF THIS GREAT SALE. NEVER HAS THIS VICINITY SEEN SUCH A SALE AND PROBABLY NEVER WILL AGAIN. EACH AND EVERY SUIT AND SHOE IN THE STORE HAS BEEN MARKED AT A REDUCTION—MANY OF THEM WILL BE FOUND MARKED AT LESS THAN HALF THE FORMER PRICES. A SALE THAT WILL ASTONISH CONNELLSVILLE WITH THE FIERCEST BUYING EXCITEMENT EVER WITNESSED. NOT AN ORDINARY SALE TO GET RID OF OLD STOCK AND ODDS AND ENDS, BUT THE CHOICEST GOODS IN STOCK—ALL TO GO AT A BIG REDUCTION. MEN, HERE IS YOUR CHANCE TO BUY YOUR EASTER OUTFIT AT MUCH BELOW WHAT YOU WILL HAVE TO PAY FOR THEM ELSEWHERE. IN FACT THE REDUCTIONS ARE FULLY ONE-FOURTH AND ONE-HALF LESS THAN REGULAR PRICES ANYWHERE.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING

SPECIAL—100 Men's Suits, assorted styles and colors in blue, brown, grey, black or mixed. Splendid values at \$10.00; for this sale **\$4.95**

One lot of hand-tailored Suits, equal to any made-to-order Suit and which cannot be duplicated elsewhere for three times the amount, will go at this sale for **\$13.95**

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SPECIAL—For young men, made in English style, 26-button Sack Coats, the very latest designs, in cashmeres, worsteds, blues, greys and mixed; all sold at great reductions. Come and see for yourself.

MOTIVATORS—Here is a chance for you to buy a Suit to your boy, or Shoes of any kind, at a saving of at least one-half of what you will pay elsewhere. Come and convince yourself.

50 Boys' Suits, odds and ends, sizes 10 to 17. You will find among them good values **\$1.95** at \$6; go at this sale for

One lot of Boys' Suits, sizes 8 to 18, and in the very latest makes and colors; good values at \$3.50; at this sale **\$1.95**

(Don't miss this opportunity).

250 Boys' Suits, just came in the latest Spring styles, makes and colors; all brand new goods. A large assortment **\$2.95** in all sizes

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One lot of Children's Suits in blue, all-wool serge; Norfolk and all the latest styles; sizes 3 to 8 **\$2.95**

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MEN'S AND BOYS' RAINCOATS.

One lot of Men's Raincoats, \$5.00 values, at **\$2.48**

One lot of Boys' \$5.00 Raincoats, at **\$2.48**

One lot of Men's Suits, in all-wool serges, in the largest varieties of colors and styles; suitable for old and young; all the very latest fashions and sold regularly for \$13.50 and \$15.00; at this sale for **\$7.95**

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Men's \$1.25 and \$1.50 Dress Shirts, for this sale **79c**

Men's 10c Dress Sox, at this sale for **6c**

All Boys' 35c Shirts, this sale at **19c**

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One lot of Men's 50c Balbriggan Underwear, at this sale for **39c**

Men's \$1.00 Sateen Shirts, at this sale for **79c**

Suit Cases—greatest values ever offered in this town **69c**

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One big line of \$3.00 Hats, for this sale at **\$1.95**

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One big lot of Men's Hats, \$1.00 to \$2.00 values; soft and stiff, in all styles and colors **79c**

MEN'S PANTS.

Men's Work Pants, regular value \$1.50, at **89c**

One big lot of Men's \$2.00 Dress Pants, at **\$1.29**

One lot of Men's \$2.50 and \$3.00 Dress Pants at **\$1.95**

\$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 Men's Dress Pants, all at **\$2.95**

SHOES.

Wonderful bargains in good shoes to suit the whole family:—

Men's \$3.00 Dress Shoes, at this sale **\$1.98**

One lot of Men's \$3.50 Dress Shoes, at this sale **\$2.48**

All Men's \$4.00 and \$4.50 Dress Shoes, at this sale for **\$2.95**

Men's \$3.00 Work Shoes, to go at this sale for **\$1.98**

All Men's \$4.00 Work Shoes, go at this sale for **\$2.98**

LADIES' SHOES.

One lot of \$2.00 Shoes, go at this sale for **\$1.48**

One lot of \$2.75 and \$3.00 Shoes, at this sale for **\$1.98**

BOYS' AND GIRLS' SHOES.

One lot of Boys' \$2.00 Dress Shoes, at **\$1.39**

One lot of Boys' \$2.50 Dress Shoes, at **\$1.69**

One lot of Boys' \$3.00 Dress Shoes, at **\$1.98**

One lot of Girls' Shoes, \$2.00 values, at **\$1.48**

Children's Shoes, \$1.50 values, at **\$1.19**

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IMPORTANCE OF THE NEW STEEL PLANT AT GARY

It Was Thought That No
More Bessemer Plants
Would Be Built.

A HEAVY DEMAND FOR TUBES

Is Expected After the European War
Is Closed and Trade Has Been
Restored to Its Normal Channels in
Domestic and Export Departments.

The decision of the National Tube Company to construct a complete new Bessemer steel plant and tube mill at Gary, Ind., is an announcement of great interest to the steel world. It is all the more interesting because of the general impression in the trade that no more Bessemer plants would be built. "Not because Bessemer steel would no longer be produced," says The American Metal Market, "but because it might be that the existing Bessemer plants would be able to turn out all required."

Since 1906, when the plant of the Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company at Youngstown, O., was put in blast, no Bessemer steel plants have been built. Since that date the Bessemer departments at Homestead and Duquesne have been converted into open hearth plants. The plants, which have been briefly outlined by the officials of the company, indicate a plant of very impressive design. It will consist of a battery of blast furnaces, a Bessemer steel department, a rolling mill department, and auxiliary equipment. The mill will have an annual capacity of about 1,000,000 tons, approximately that of the works at McKeesport.

One dock and unloading machinery will be erected near the furnace plant, which will consist of four modern blast furnaces, each having a capacity of about 500 tons. The Bessemer steel works will house two 15-ton Bessemer converters. Two 40-inch electrically driven reversing blooming mills will be installed. The strip mill will consist of two continuous mills, a universal plate mill and sheared plate mill. After the steel is rolled, it will be taken to a battery of hot furnaces, a Bessemer steel department, a rolling mill department, and auxiliary equipment. The mill will have an annual capacity of about 1,000,000 tons, approximately that of the works at McKeesport.

The construction of this plant is regarded as an event of no small importance as a metallurgical item and of great importance from a business standpoint. "There is much new construction in the steel industry at present," says The American Metal Market. "Without counting the National Tube Company's plant at Gary which will have a capacity of fully 600,000

tons of ingots a year, the Steel Corporation is making additions to capacity of about 2,000,000 tons of ingots a year while the independents are also engaged in a great deal of new construction. All this, however, may be classified as pertaining to the heavy demand for steel that occurs in these war times. For in each instance there has been a strong chance that the new capacity would become productive before the war ends. With the National plant at Gary the case is different. The probabilities are strongly that the war will be over before the plant is completed. Even with the great facilities at command of the Steel Corporation the construction of a complete plant, with four blast furnaces, two converters, four strip mills, ten weld furnaces and the necessary adjuncts, will take a great deal of time.

"The plant is clearly based upon expectations of a heavy demand for tubular goods after the war. Whether the finance committee, which has approved the large expenditure involved, felt that the demand after the war would run more strongly to tubular goods than to other lines we do not know, but it is significant that before the war the pipe mills were not more crowded with work than other departments of the finished steel trade, and since the war started the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company has provided a pipe mill for its Woodlawn works.

"In current market developments there are indications that there will be a heavy demand for tubular goods. In these war conditions not only is there no demand for welded tubular goods for war purposes, but there is a great curtailment in the normal export trade, for while there is demand from neutral countries there are not sufficient shipping facilities to satisfy that demand. Nevertheless the orders of

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the pipe mills are running very heavy. The specific orders being booked from week to week are far in excess of the shipments even though shipments are being made from mill stocks in addition to the full output of the mills. It seems perfectly logical to assume that when trade has been restored to its normal channels, and the usual export trade, or a greater, is enjoyed, with heavy demand at home for all development work, there will be a greater demand than ever for welded tubular goods."

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There is no longer the slightest need of feeling ashamed of your freckles, as the prescription—Othine—double strength—is guaranteed to remove these homely spots.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist and apply a little of it right and morning and you should soon see that even the worst freckles have begun to disappear, while the lighter ones have vanished entirely. It is seldom that more than one ounce is needed to completely clear the skin and gain a beautiful clear complexion.

Be sure to ask for the double strength Othine as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

SEEKS REINDECTION

Move to Present New Bills Against Steel Companies.

County Prosecutor Henderson of Mahoning county, Ohio, has announced that he will recall the January grand jury to reinstate the steel companies at whose plants the riots took place recently. The charges will be conspiracy to fix the prices of common labor and the price of products. After filing its original report on the steel cases the grand jury was discharged by Judge W. S. Anderson, but not dismissed.

The first indictments were quashed by Judge Anderson and it is understood the prosecutor will ask the grand jury to return other bills to eliminate the defects pointed out by the court.

Why Constipation Injures.

The bowels are the natural sewerage system of the body. When they become obstructed by constipation a part of the poisonous matter which they should carry off is absorbed into the system, you feel dull and stupid, and interfering with the digestion and assimilation of food. This condition is quickly relieved by Chamberlain's Tablets. Obtainable everywhere.—Adv.

1916 Automobile Output.

Estimates place the number of automobiles to be manufactured in 1916 at 1,400,000, as compared with 700,000 turned out in 1915.

To Build Ore Carrier.

The Maryland Steel Company will build a 17,000-ton iron carrier to carry ore from Cuba for the Pennsylvania Steel Company.

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BEDINGERNOW IS WELL MAN THANKS TANLAC

Landscape-Gardener Recovers From Catarrh and Lung Trouble Praises Tanlac.

Catarrh and lung trouble had made Tanlac a burden to John Bedinger, the well-known landscape-gardener, of Cranford Heights, near Pittsburgh, Pa., until Tanlac quickly made him a well man.

He said:

"My head was stuffed up all the time and there was continual annoying buzzing in my ears. I could not breathe unless I had my mouth open. I also had sharp pains in my lungs and right side. I was restless all night, my nerves were bad, and I just took naps all night long, being unable to sleep soundly and getting up in the morning all lagged out and more tired than when I went to bed."

"I was hawking and spitting all the time, especially in the mornings when I got up, as my throat and head were filled all the time with mucus matter."

"I had no appetite and when I did eat, the food laid on my stomach like a heavy load and I would get dizzy, and my head would have a full feeling. My bowels wouldn't work right and I was taking all kinds of remedies, but they did me no good."

"I read about Tanlac in the papers and bought a bottle and got relief from the start. I have been getting better right along and now feel fine."

"Tanlac is now sold in Connellsville exclusively by the Connellsville Drug Co., where the premier preparations can now be had."

Tanlac can also be obtained from David C. Eason, Dunbar, Pa.—Adv.

ALABAMA COKE

Production Fell Below That of 1914; Freedom Market Brisk.

The production of coke in Alabama in 1915 was 3,580,376 tons which was below that of 1914. This is due to the fact that the coke situation in the state did not take on activity until well into the last quarter. On present day rate of production the 1916 figures will be around 4,500,000 tons, of which at least 50 per cent will be by-product coke.

The coke market in Alabama continues brisk, despite the fact that shipments into Mexico have been temporarily held up. Available coke is rare, and prices are higher than they have been in years. Following prices are quoted: Standard furnace and smelter coke, \$3 to \$3.50 a ton at the ovens, and foundry coke, \$4 a ton at the ovens.

Kentucky Coke in Demand.

After a comparatively quiet period, the Kentucky coke field note that the mill for coke is unusually heavy and this in turn is making a bigger demand for cooking coal.

CHILD LABOR LAW WORKS A HARDSHIP ON PARENTS

Having Mischievous Boys Who Should Be Employed Part Time to Learn Habits of Industry.

The prosecution of several coke workers at Trotter during the past week for violating the child labor law of May 1, 1909, has called attention to an effect of its operation which is considered somewhat in the nature of a hardship by those who must bear the consequences of a violation. The coke workers who were subjected to these prosecutions say that they are being deprived of the services of their children in a way that has been helpful to their parents and without detriment to the children. At the same time the operation of the law hinders parents in maintaining a proper control over their children, especially boys, and prevents the teaching of habits of industry at a period in the lives of boys when they should begin to learn something more than play, or waste their hours in questionable pastimes.

In the hearing of the cases before the alderman it was charged that small boys were routed out of bed at midnight and forced to help their fathers on the coke yards until daylight, with the result that the boys were frequently too fatigued to do their school work during the day. This constituted an offense against that provision of the law which prohibits the employment of a minor child between the hours of 8 P. M. and 6 A. M.

In one of the cases a coke worker was fined for permitting his son to help him on the coke yard. The lad was employed only on Saturday mornings, which did not interfere with his attendance at school. It happened that this particular boy, it is said, is of a rather mischievous disposition and his pranks during his idle hours have cost his father a round sum in the past. The boy's penchant for beating windows and committing other depredations was discouraged, and to a large degree prevented, while he was permitted to work for his father. Now that the child labor law has been invoked in the boy's behalf, he is left free to follow his inclinations during his waking hours. Being denied by the law of the right to enjoy the benefit of his son's services, which also serve to keep him out of mischief and teach him habits of work, the father is now faced with the possibility that he may again be called upon to settle for other and more troublesome pranks of the youngster.

DAY AFTER PAY-DAY.

Many People Have No Money Left Day After Pay-Day.

It is a strange condition that many working people have spent all of their money before the end of pay-day. A checking account at the Citizens National Bank of Connellsville will help many people to remedy this mistake. 123 North Pittsburgh street.—Adv.

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